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STEPHENSON IS NOW ASSIGNED

Junior Wisconsin Senator Given His Place On The Different Committees Of Senate.

LA FOLLETTE RETAINS HIS PLACE

Still Chairman Of The Potomac River Front Committee--Leaves Claim Committee For That Of Military Affairs.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—Among the assignments of new senators on state committees as adopted by the senate today are:

Senator Smith of Michigan on national banks, as chairman; commerce, pensions, expenditures, department of justice, Pacific railroads, and revolutionary claims.

Senator Isaac Stephenson of Wisconsin was placed on the committee on the department of agriculture as chairman, and a member of the com-

GET AFTER COMPANY FOR THE FEE NAMED

THAT BRANCH OF SOCIETY OF EQUITY MEET TODAY.

POSTPONE THE ELECTION

Will Take Up This Question at Madison Meeting in January—To Start State Crusade.

The Rock County unions of the tobacco section of the American Society of Equity held their annual meeting today at the city hall. Eight old unions were represented and one new one, known as the Orfordville local, with fifteen charter members, was present. After the meeting was called to order by President E. H. Holden of Milton, Mayor Hodges gave the address of welcome to the hundred odd members and delegates present.

State Secretary E. D. Kump was elected chairman of the meeting, and the remainder of the program was taken up with a business meeting. It was decided to postpone the election of officers until the district meeting to be held at Madison January first, owing to the illness of several of the present officers who were unable to attend the session held here. The question of sending out organizers through the state was also discussed and it was decided that this plan should be followed.

This afternoon the meeting was addressed by J. A. Carnahan of Black River Falls on the work of the tobacco growers' association. He was followed by H. S. Pomeroy, who spoke on the raising and selling of tobacco. The Rock County unions are Edgar No. 2705, Sheephead No. 2706, West Allis No. 4234, Portor No. 4439, Janesville No. 4438, Harmony No. 72, Footville No. 4217, Portor No. 5024 and the new one formed at Orfordville.

Farmers' Co-Operative Congress, Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 17.—The National Co-Operative Congress, which was organized a year ago at a meeting held in Topoka, began its annual session here today. The congress is made up principally of farmers' organizations, though other co-operative enterprises are admitted to membership. The reports show that the co-operative movement among the farmers is making great headway, particularly in some of the southern states. The present session will continue three days, during which time the co-operative movement in all its phases will be exhaustively discussed.

Judge Grimm at Elkhorn: Circuit Judge George Grimm is hearing a case for Judge Holden at Elkhorn today. He expects to return to Janesville tomorrow.

JANESVILLE MARKETS.

Janesville, Dec. 17.

Bar corn—old, \$18; now, \$10@\$12.
Rye—\$1@\$12.
Barley—\$1@\$12.
Oats—\$1@\$12.

Feed—Corn and oats, \$31 per ton.
Standard middlings—\$26@\$27 ton.
Bran—\$24@\$25 per ton.
Oil Meal—\$1.85@\$1.95 per cwt.
Corn Meal—\$20@\$20 per ton.
Hay—\$11@\$12 per ton.
Straw—Baled, \$6.00@\$7.00 per ton.
Creamery butter—29¢ per lb.
Dairy butter—20¢@21¢ per lb.
Eggs—23@24; cold storage, 21@22.
Milk, Dec. 17, 1907.—On the board of trade today butter was quoted at 28½¢ firm.

PROMINENT BREEDERS ARE AT ROCHESTER

York State Association Commences Its Annual Session With Well Known Experts on Programs.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 17.—There was a good attendance today at the opening here of the annual meeting of the New York State Breeders' association. The program of the two days' session is one of the best ever prepared for a meeting of the association. Foremost among the experts to address the meeting are F. D. Corburn, secretary of agriculture of Kansas; Jay A. Honeston, of the Bureau of Soils of the United States Department of Agriculture; Prof. H. J. Webber of Cornell University, and Dr. W. H. Jordan, director of the State experiment station at Geneva.

HAVE REORGANIZED CALIFORNIA TRUST

Old Directors and Officers Resign and New Ones Are Promptly Elected to Office.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

San Francisco, Calif., Dec. 17.—The complete reorganization of the defunct California Safe Deposit & Trust company went into effect yesterday. The directors and officers tendered their resignation and a new set were promptly elected.

Booming West Texas

Cisco, Texas, Dec. 17.—For the chief purpose of discussing plans for the further development of this section of the state a joint conference was begun here today by the West Texas Pecan Association and the Central West Texas Association of Commercial Clubs. A banquet and a visit to the coal mines and other points of interest in this vicinity have been arranged for the entertainment of the many visitors.

For Uniform Baggage Rate.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 17.—A committee appointed by the Central Passenger Association to consider the excess baggage rate problem met in conference here today with commissioners and sub-committees representing other passenger associations. The object is to bring about of possible a uniform excess baggage rate applicable to all the railroads of the United States,



"The expected presents of Christmas tend to develop angelic qualities in most of us." —From Cynics Holiday Notebook.

FIRST RING BATTLE UNDER THE NEW LAW

At Los Angeles Tonight—Sam Langford, Colored Fighter, to Meet Jim Barry of Chicago.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 17.—Considerable interest is manifested in the fight here tonight between Sam Langford, the colored pugilist, and Jim Barry, of Chicago, for the reason that it will be the first bout under the new city ordinance, which prohibits contests over ten rounds and requires six-ounce gloves and no decision. If the fight draws well Manager McCarey will arrange to continue the game. If the experiment is not successful he will remove his box to some point outside the city limits.

FOOTBALL PLAYERS ON A LONG TRIP

St. Vincent College Eleven of Chicago Starts For Pacific Coast Tomorrow to Meet Picked Team.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 17.—The football eleven of St. Vincent College of this city has arranged to start for the Pacific coast tomorrow to play a picked team of college stars at Los Angeles on Christmas day and a team of professionals. New Year's day in the same city. The coast teams from which the stars will be taken are Occidental, Pomona, St. Vincent's of Los Angeles and the University of Southern California.

HEARING TODAY IN POWDER TRUST SUIT

Suit Instituted by United States Government Against Alleged Monopoly On Trial at Scranton.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 17.—The first hearing in the suit recently instituted by the United States against the so-called Powder Trust came up today before Judge Archbold in the United States Circuit Court. In its complaint the Government alleges the existence of an agreement or combination to monopolize Interstate and foreign commerce in the shipment and sale of gunpowder and other high explosives. The defendants include a large number of individuals and corporations, the principal ones being the Du Pont companies of Delaware, of which United States Senator H. A. DuPont is said to be the head. All of the defendants have filed answers declaring that they have never entered into any contracts to restrain Interstate commerce or to drive out competition or to monopolize the trade.

CORN EXPOSITION IN SOUTH DAKOTA

Progressive Farmers and Their Families Are Assembling in Mitchell Today For Annual Event.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Mitchell, S. D., Dec. 17.—Scores of progressive farmers, with their wives and children, arrived in Mitchell today, all prepared to be enrolled in the annual corn school of South Dakota State Corn Growers and Breeders' association, which opened today. The school is held in conjunction with the annual exhibition of the association, and the two combine to form one of the principal events of the year in South Dakota agricultural circles.

The sessions of the corn school will continue two days, under the general direction of M. L. Bowman of Iowa agricultural college. Other speakers to be heard are President Robert Slagle of Brookings agricultural college, Prof. W. A. Wheeler of this city, A. C. Collins of Sioux Falls, and J. B. Parkhurst of Huron.

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ROOSEVELT IS BACK IN WASHINGTON NOW

Starts the Fleet and Returns to His Work at the White House This Morning.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—President Roosevelt and party returning from Hampton Roads on board the yacht Mayflower, reached Washington at 8:20 a. m. The trip was without special incident.

CLOSE THE SCHOOLS ACCORDING TO LAWS

Sixteen Hundred Polish Schools Closed by Order of Russian Government.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Warsaw, Dec. 17.—Sixteen hundred Polish schools in all parts of Russia have been closed in consequence of an order issued by Gen. Sklifson suspending the Polish schools' association.

FOORTY BODIES IN A DEEP ENTRY STILL

Thirty Bodies Taken from Alabama Mine—The Remainder May Not Be Reached.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

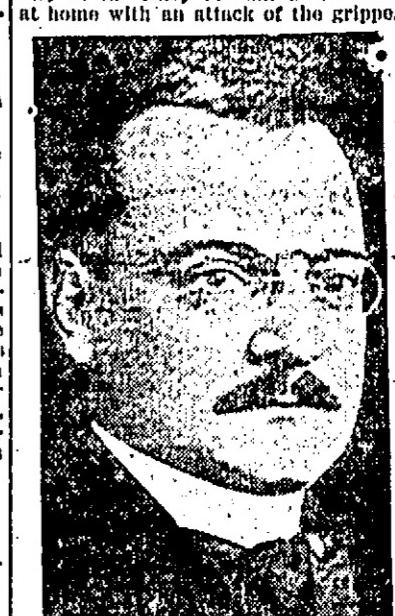
Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 17.—With thirty dead bodies taken from the mine at Yerndale the rescuing parties today discovered a fire in mine and it may be impossible to reach thirty or forty more bodies which are in a deep entry.

BOTH SECRETARIES HAVE THE GRIPPE

Cortelyou and Metcalf Are Both Confined to the House by Illness.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—Secretary of the Navy Metcalf is detained at home with an attack of the grippe.



Cortelyou Is Sick

Secretary Cortelyou is confined to his bed with a severe attack of the grippe. Under the advice of his physician he will remain at home at least a week.

Justice Gould of the District of Columbia Equity court today granted a temporary injunction restraining the American Federation of Labor from continuing a boycott against the Buck Stove & Range company of St. Louis, pending a final settlement of the case.

BIG POULTRY SHOW OPENS IN NEW YORK

Madison Square Garden the Scene of Thousands of Exhibits—Acherville, N. C., Has the First Expo.

New York, Dec. 17.—The nineteenth annual exhibition of the New York Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock association, which was opened to the public in Madison Square Garden today, is pronounced by the experts to be the largest and most notable show of its kind ever given here. There are several thousand different exhibits in regular poultry classes, together with hundreds of rabbits, guinea pigs and other cavies. The pigeons also are particularly numerous and handsome.

In conjunction with the show there is being held as usual the annual exhibition of the Atlantic Cat Club. The feline beauties, have been installed in the concert hall, a wide platform, as are out-of-sight and sound of the multitude of big and little birds and may be seen on their best behavior.

The main floor of the garden is occupied by the poultry classes, ranging from the big bronze turkey to the mighty little bantam, each breed a standard and all in competition for the blue ribbons. The pigeons have a place by themselves on the circus platforms. One would go a long way to find a better collection of every variety. In other parts of the big building have been installed incubators, food exhibits and other accessories of the up-to-date poultry farm.

Very little judging was done today, although some classes were completed. The exhibition will remain open till the end of the week.

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 17.—The first annual show of the Asheville Poultry and Pet Stock association opened today with every indication pointing to a successful exhibition. The exhibits are numerous in all departments and represent several states. In addition to the large display of fancy brood chickens, turkeys, ducks and other varieties of poultry the exhibition includes the best show of dogs ever seen in this section.

DURANGO BANK SHUT ITS DOORS QUIETLY

Gave Out No Statement; Simply Stopped Doing Business This Morning.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Durango, Colo., Dec. 17.—The Smelter City Bank of Durango, a state institution with a capital of thirty thousand dollars, failed to open this morning. There is no statement. The deposits are believed not to exceed a hundred thousand dollars.

Lynch Minstrel Man Down in Shreveport

Mob Takes Him Out and Hangs Him with Bullets.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Shreveport, La., Dec. 17.—Homer Roger, a negro member of a minstrel troupe, was hung by a mob in Maconches parish last night and his body riddled with bullets.

Surgeons of the South Assemble at New Orleans

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New Orleans, La., Dec. 17.—The annual meeting of the Southern Surgical and Gynecological association began in this city today and will continue in session until Friday. The attendance includes prominent physicians and surgeons from all parts of the south.

SUSPECT FELLED WITH SHOT-GUN

WHEN HE CAME TO CLAIM BAG OF STOLEN FURS GUARDED BY OFFICER T. CAVANAGH.

AT DAWN NEAR BRODHEAD

Gives Name as B. N. Daniels of Freeport—Supposed to be Responsible for \$1,400 Theft Last Wednesday—Was in Janesville Yesterday.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Brodhead, Wis., Dec. 17.—Officer Thomas A. Cavanaugh of Brodhead, with the aid of a shotgun, this morning wounded and captured the man suspected of breaking into the Ward & Kuezel fur and ginseng warehouse last Wednesday night and carrying away \$1,400 worth of mink, otter, and beaver pelts.

The encounter took place at four o'clock this morning at a barn a few miles from town where a quantity of the stolen property, tied up in a sack, was located Saturday evening. As a strategic expedient, Officer Cavanaugh, without hesitation, leveled his shotgun and fired, and the fugitive fell in his tracks, endeavoring unsuccessfully to pull his revolver as he went down. "Well, Tom, you've got me!" he exclaimed as the officer came running up. The thief had been ripped open at the elbow of one of his arms and four of the buckshot had lodged in his side.

Disregarded Command to Halt

When the command of "Halt!" rang out on the crisp morning air, the stranger instead of obeying, wheeled abruptly and started to run. Officer Cavanaugh without hesitation leveled his shotgun and fired, and the fugitive fell in his tracks, endeavoring unsuccessfully to pull his revolver as he went down. "Well, Tom, you've got me!" he exclaimed as the officer came running up. The thief had been ripped open at the elbow of one of his arms and four of the buckshot had lodged in his side.

Baldwin Package in Janesville

Ex-Sheriff Gardner of Green county came to Janesville this forenoon to investigate a report that a man answering to "Daniels" description had checked a package at the St. Paul depot in this city yesterday morning. The report was found to be correct but when the parcel was opened only a pair of old shoes was disclosed. Of the stolen property, all but eight packages worth \$4 apiece, were recovered from the sack which figures so prominently in this morning's episode. A check for \$80 was found on Daniels' person.

CAB DRIVERS STRIKE TO SECURED DEMANDS

One Thousand Are Out in New York—Want Shorter Hours and More Pay for Work.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

THE BOY QUESTION SETTLED AT **REHBERG'S**

The question of Christmas gifts for the boy as well as father, mother, sister Sue, cousin John or friend Fred is settled nicely here. This big clearance pre-holiday sale of overcoats and clothing for men, youths and boys, together with the almost endless display of specially purchased holiday furnishings eases off the strain of thought in making selections.



Christmas Presents of Needful Articles

An Overcoat or Suit, Does He Need One? \$11.00

For regular \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$14. Suits and Overcoats. You can make no mistake in the selection of garments from these offerings.



Christmas Footwear

Sensible, lasting, enjoyable gifts—Shoes or Slippers. Bostonian Shoes for men, at \$3.50 and \$4.00

Queen Quality Shoes for women, \$3 to \$4

Boys' Solid Shoes—The uppers are box or wax calf, soles are heavy and have iron slugs. 1½ to 2, \$1.75, 2½ to 5½ \$2.00

Slippers for Men and Women—Nullifiers in leather and felt, fur trimmed, \$1, \$1.50

and \$2. Men's embroidered slippers, 500 pair, at 48c. Men's Everettes, opera and senator styles, all leather, \$1. \$1.25 and \$1.50. Misses' and children's red Nullifiers, 75c, 85c and \$1. Dr. Reed's famous Cushion Shoes for tired feet, \$5. We sell the genuine in Janesville. All others are infringements.



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Two Departments, Three Stores, On the Bridge, Janesville

Commencing tonight our store is open every evening until after the holidays.

SIXTH CONCERT OF SEASON THURSDAY

Apollo Club Will Give Interesting Program on Next Thursday Evening.

The sixth concert of the Apollo Club's third season will be given on Thursday evening at Library Hall. The program which is in charge of Mrs. W. T. Sherer will be interesting from a literary standpoint as well as from a musical one as it includes classic and modern, and English, French and German numbers. The program is as follows:

OLD CLASSICS.

L'espresso nocturne (from Astor) G. B. Bononcini
Nissant le sa Luigi Vanucci
Droop Not, Young Lover Geo. Frederic Handel

CLASSICAL AND MODERN GERMAN SONGS.

Dor Doppelganger Franz Schubert
Im Dorf Franz Schubert

Aufenthalt Hans Hermann Ich Trage Molino Minne Richard Strauss

Frederic Martin,

a Barcarolle Mrs. H. H. A. Beach

b Fire Flies Fine Shyamker,
MODERN FRENCH SONGS.

Arlac la Fille de Perth, Georges Bizet Souple H. Rehberg
Embarquez-vous Ben. Godard

Fredéric Martin,

o Daybreak Landon Ronald

o Morning John D. Germain

o Evening Landon Ronald

o Night Ruby Garelik,

MISCELLANEOUS SONGS.

The Sea Edward MacDowell At Evening Mabel Daniels

On the Way to Kow Arthur Foote

Panting Song Old Irish

If all the Young Maidens Herman Loehr

Fredéric Martin,

Mrs. Sherer at the Mason & Hamlin Concert Grand Piano.

ILLUMINATED COUPLES IN CIRCUIT COURT

Court Is Kept Busy Yesterday Afternoon with Numerous Divorce Suits.

Circuit Judge George Graham granted two divorces yesterday afternoon and refused to grant a third for lack of sufficient evidence. The parties to the various suits were Miles Penn vs. Emily Penn, Lena Brown vs. Arthur Brown, and Bertha Taplin vs. Leonard Taplin. The grounds set forth in all three complaints were desertion. Mrs. Penn's lawyer introduced evidence showing cruel and inhuman treatment on the part of the plaintiff, her husband, with the result that the master was satisfied by the payment of cash to Mrs. Penn. Mr. Penn was granted the decree. The parties were married in this city. Mrs. Penn being a Churchill before her marriage. Bertha Taplin's application for divorce was denied for lack of sufficient proof of the grounds stated, desertion and non-support.

WISCONSIN OFFICERS WITH TWENTY-SECOND

Captain Tom Richardson and Captain Laurence Curtis at Goldfield with the Troops.

Two Wisconsin officers in the United States army, one from Janesville, Captain Thomas Richardson, and the other Captain Laurence Curtis of Madison, are with their regiment, the Twenty-second Infantry, at present stationed at Goldfield to prevent any trouble between the miners and employers. Captain Richardson is adjutant of the regiment and Captain Curtis is in command of one of the battalions. Captain Curtis is a son of the late Col. Charles A. Curtis, U. S. A., for many years commandant of the University regiment. He graduated from the University with the class of Ninety-four and enlisted in the First Wisconsin Volunteers when the Spanish war broke out. He was given a second Lieutenant's commission in the regular army and has served in the Philippines, being in command of the post that captured the spy which led to the capture of Aguinaldo. Both Captain Curtis and Captain Richardson saw strenuous service in San Francisco at the time of the earthquake, their regiment being on duty in the city at that time.

HAVE RAISED MONEY IN MILWAUKEE NOW

Independent Telephone Exchange Will Be Built in Cream City Next Spring.

President Scritchfield of the Independent Telephone Company of Milwaukee has written to Richard Valentine, a stockholder and director in his company, that the last \$500,000 worth of bonds of the company will be taken by Milwaukee parties and that the proposed telephone exchange in Milwaukee will probably be begun in the spring. The supreme court recently decided that the franchise granted the company by the Milwaukee council was null and void, but this will not interfere with the work as the law is interpreted that a corporation can begin work if the board of public works grants permission and the telephone company has this permission.

DAVID YOUNG RESIGNS AS MANAGER OF GRAND HOTEL

Will Start on Tour of West About Feb 1 and Expects to Eventually Locate in Seattle.

David Young has resigned his position as manager of the Grand Hotel, the same to take effect on January 1. With the expectation of eventually locating in Seattle, he will start about the first of February on a leisurely tour of the west, stopping at St. Paul and Minneapolis, Denver, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles, and San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Young will leave Janesville soon after the first of the year and go to Chicago for a visit of a few weeks.

Buy It in Janesville.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. George Field is confined to her home by illness. Alex. Richardson of Evansville, was in Janesville yesterday. Carl Gray of Whitewater was in Janesville on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould, who have been returned to their home in Oshkosh.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Sutherland, who are making their home in Chicago, where Dr. Sutherland is taking some advanced work in medicine, were called to Janesville by the death of T. E. Green.

Dr. Edwin Taylor and son are expected here from Huron, S. D., to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pond and children left this morning for their new home in Moline, Illa. Mr. and Mrs. Pond have the best wishes of their many friends for their prosperity in their new home.

Mrs. Raymond Lee of South Main street is much improved.

Clarence Rowe, who is now with the American Radiator Company, of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar D. Rowe.

Wesley Rapp of Jamestown is in the city on business.

F. A. Bell, a Negroe, Mich., mining man, is conferring with some of the local zinc and lead men.

Charles Bentley of Edgerton is here on business.

John D. Germain of Monroe is in the city.

J. R. Haugen of Chicago is visiting friends in the city.

Dean E. M. McClintock went to Watertown this morning.

Mrs. George Butler of a Prairie avenue is confined to her home by illness.

F. C. Grant went to Elkhorn this morning.

Mrs. Louise Chudwick suffered a slight stroke of paralysis last Saturday evening at her home at 405 Court street. She is still confined to the house but is much better.

Judge Charles Leslie of Onawa, who has been visiting friends in Janesville, has returned to his home.

Professors Sellory and Sklauer of the University of Wisconsin were in Janesville yesterday inspecting the local high school.

J. E. Inman has returned from an extended trip along the Pacific coast and points of interest in the west.

Mrs. John F. Sweetley is confined by illness to her apartment at the Grand hotel.

Mrs. G. S. Durby of Brodhead is a Janesville visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Klitellsen of Albany were in the city last evening.

C. E. King and Charles Sprackling of Whitewater were in the city last evening.

Architect J. G. Chandler was here from Racine last evening.

F. A. Bell and J. W. Walter of Negau, Mich., were here on business last evening.

R. O. Fall is transacting business in Beloit today.

Mrs. C. B. Simley and Miss Shirley of Albany are Janesville visitors.

Q. H. Ling and H. V. Bitting of the special U. S. Revenue service were here from Milwaukee last evening.

Oscar Ostello of St. Paul and W. S. Holden of Portland, who are interested with Grant Thomas, formerly of Madison, and others in taking over 3,500 acres of Oregon timber land, are here on business.

TROOPS FOR HOPKINSVILLE

GOVERNOR OF KENTUCKY TAKES STEPS TO PROTECT TOWN.

One Company of Militia Sent to Repel Raiders and Relieve Frightened Citizens.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 17.—Upon recommendation by Adjutant General Johnston, Gov. Wilson Monday ordered company II, of the First Kentucky militia, to leave Louisville Tuesday morning for Hopkinsville. Col. W. B. Huldenham and Capt. R. J. McBryde will accompany company II to look over the situation.

Gov. Wilson Monday afternoon issued a statement from Frankfort in which he says:

"Adjutant General Johnston reports to me that the people in Hopkinsville are under a severe strain, receiving threatening letters, and that the impression prevails that the men connected with the last attack are in readiness to make another; that the facts reported by reliable persons support the belief and a threatening state of paralysis prevails in Hopkinsville. He includes a signed request from the county judge, sheriff, county attorney and mayor of the city, asking for troops. After discussing the situation with them, he is of the opinion that the presence of troops is necessary, and that in order to conduct prosecutions properly the moral and positively active support of troops is deemed necessary. He says that it is needless to discuss the probability of further outrages, but it is impossible to say they are not likely to occur."

"The presence of troops will restore confidence and relieve apprehension and cause all citizens to unite to punish the lawbreakers and restore the rights of every citizen. Gen. Johnston has wired Col. W. B. Huldenham to hold two companies in readiness on brief notice."

Detroit Has \$20,000 Blaze.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 17.—Fire that apparently started with some kind of an explosion, at an early hour Monday morning thoroughly gutted the two-story brick building on the west side of Shelly street between Fort and Congress streets, occupied by the Whitfield Printing company. Loss, \$20,000.

Crew of the Kildare Are Landed.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 17.—Capt. Roberts and crew of the Thomson line steamer Kildare, which was wrecked on Brazil rock, off Cape Sable, on Saturday last, arrived here Monday on board the steamer Louisburg. Capt. Roberts states that the vessel is a total loss.

Recess for Supreme Court.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Chief Justice Fuller announced Monday that on next Monday the supreme court of the United States would take a recess of two weeks for the Christmas holidays.

Want ads. bring results

OUR CHRISTMAS GREETING

We extend to all a most cordial invitation to visit our store and when in need of wholesome and clean GROCERIES give Baumann Brothers a trial order from this list of quality goods:

| COFFEES | TEAS |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Our great specialty. | Extra value in all these. |
| Milwaukee Club, a lb. .35c | Oolong Fancy, a lb. .00c |
| Toledo Club, a lb. .30c | Royal Jap, a lb. .30c |
| San Marti, a lb. .25c | No. 56 Good Jap, a lb. .20c |
| Koban, a lb. .20c | DO TRY OUR TEA AND COFFEE |

| NECTAR CANNED GOODS | OTHER CANNED GOODS |
|---|-------------------------------|
| Tomatoes 15c | June Peas 10c |
| Cream Corn 15c | Tomatoes 12c |
| Succotash 15c | Sauk Corn 10c |
| Yellow String Beans 15c | Or 3 for 25c |
| Green String Beans 15c | Pork and Beans 12c |
| Peas 15c | Lobsters, a can 25c |
| Lima Beans 15c | Juneau Peas 12½c |
| Kidney Beans 10c | Yellow String Beans 10c |
| Beets, a can 12c | Green String Beans 10c |
| Pumpkin 12c | Hominy 10c |
| A great treat for you. All have harvest flavor. | Salmon, all red 13, 18, 20c |

| PRESERVES—Fancy pack | BOTTLED GOODS |
|----------------------------|------------------------|
| Sliced Peaches 30c | Olives— |
| Sliced Pears 30c | Queen Olives 35c |
| Sliced Pineapple 30c | Lunch Olives 25c |
| Pitted Cherries 30c | Spanish Pitted |

Washington Gossip

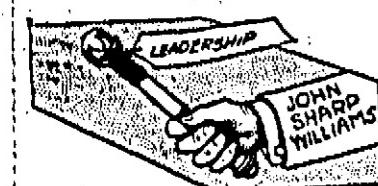
Interesting Bits of News Picked Up
Here and There at the National Capital.

CONGRESS MEETS AGAIN; SOME OLD FACES GONE

WASHINGTON.—Once again is congress in session and prepared to enact laws for the people. Several new faces are seen. The new members are eager for the novelty of the thing and thinking in their hearts that the novelty is wear-proof. The new ones will be a tired enough lot before the hepatoma peop in the spring. Also they will be a somewhat sorry lot before the sounding of the Christmas chimes, for the new member in Washington is not as the new member at home; his greatness' diminution and his glory diminisheth.

There are more Democrats with us today than there were a year ago. Two score or more or less faithful Republicans found that their constituents liked them as neighbors the year through and so kept them at home. It is always best, perhaps, to trust to the soundness of judgment of a man's neighbor, but Washington is grieved over the absence of some of those who made picturesque the legislative winter.

There are always picturesque ones among the newcomers, but it takes



GOMPERS WARNS ALL EMPLOYERS

SAYS WORKINGMEN WILL RESIST
ANY CUT IN WAGES.

JOHN MITCHELL AGREES

Addresses at Banquet of National Civic Federation—Gen. Grant Defends the Army Canteen.

New York, Dec. 17.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, served notice Monday night upon employers that attempts to reduce wages at this time would be fought to the utmost. He delivered the ultimatum in an address at the dinner of the Civic Federation, which was attended by 800 persons at the Hotel Astor.

John Mitchell also included in his speech a similar warning to employers, although clothed in more temperate language.

"Since I have been in New York to-day," said Mr. Gompers, "I have been approached a dozen times by bankers, financiers and capitalists in such strength that the standpat, Cannon sits abashed in his presence. Mr. Clark is a free trader so sturdy that the other strong ones are weaklings; but nevertheless these two tariff extremes have met in a friendship in a double sense unfathomable."

The twain have fought for years on the floor of the house to leave it arm in arm, but now they will fight on the floor no longer, for Gompers, with his "iggers," his white beard, his white suit (in summer) has gone away.

Will Resist Wage Cut.

"So I say to employers—to bankers, lawyers, manufacturers, mine operators, to all employers—that if they now attempt to reduce wages they are not going to have the easy sailing they had a few years ago, for the American workingman has come to the conclusion that if for any reason the financial situation is as it is—and I shall not suggest any reason to-night—it is not at any rate, due to any fault on the part of the working people. They have made up their minds that they are not going to be the chief sufferers because of an artificial panic, or one caused by the blunders of those in charge of the finances of the country."

Talks on Currency Question.

The session of the federation Monday was given over to the discussion of the currency question, Andrew Carnegie, James Speyer, Horace White, and Postmaster-General George von L. Meyer expressing their views.

Andrew Carnegie declared that reform must come through asset currency, based on trade bills.

The federation, without committing itself to any definite plan for reform, adopted a resolution which provided "that congress should, after careful consideration, pass as speedily as possible, consistent with security and safety, some measures which will impart to our currency system greater elasticity, we urgently demand throughout the country."

Gen. Grant for Army Canteen.

At the banquet George W. Perkins, the banker, Gen. Frederick D. Grant, and John Mitchell, president of the Mine Workers' union, spoke. Molyville E. Ingalls, of Cincinnati, acted as toastmaster, and called upon Gen. Grant to talk on the question of the abolition of the canteen in the army.

Gen. Grant said that while he himself was a total abstainer, he regarded the canteen as the lesser of two evils and that until the civil authorities closed vicious resorts near military reservations he would be an advocate of the canteen in the army. Gen. Grant referred to many advantages attached to the canteen, its use as a clubhouse, its amusements and promotion of moderation.

TRAGEDY IN A MOTOR CAB.

New Yorker Murders Woman and Then Kills Himself.

New York, Dec. 17.—A murder and suicide in an automobile cab occurred in the streets of Brooklyn Monday night. The victim in the tragedy were Elsie Kerlin, a telegraph operator, 22 years old, and Bernard E. Wallace, who has been employed by the Commercial Cable company in this city. No cause for the tragedy is known, but it is probable that it is the result of a love affair.

The police say Wallace shot the young woman and then killed himself.

Lynched for Trifling Cause.

Shreveport, La., Dec. 17.—A negro member of a traveling minstrel troupe, who gave his name as Homer Rogers, was hanged by a mob in Morehouse Parish Sunday night and his body riddled with bullets because he repeated a remark made by a white man.

Exploding in Powder Works.

Bowling Green, O., Dec. 17.—Six hundred quarts of nitroglycerine in the Dupont Powder works, two and a half miles from here, exploded at 5:30 Monday evening. It is not believed there was loss of life, as the employees had left the premises.

Fatal Duel at Laurel, Miss.

Laurel, Miss., Dec. 17.—A deliberately planned and semi-organized duel occurred on the main street of Laurel Monday in which Edward Bruce was killed and B. W. Sharborough, former state senator, was wounded.

CHAMPION RIFLE SHOT IS MADE AID TO PRESIDENT

men of this kind with telling falsehoods, for he states simply that they eliminate from the reckoning certain misses which because of the extreme difficulties of the case were not to be accounted as misses.

The tendency of some sportsmen, according to the president's view, is to count as chances only those in which there was perfectly fair prospect of hitting the game. A quick shot at a deer disappearing at a bound into the forest at a distance of 150 or 200 yards is not counted as a miss at all times by all sportsmen.

It may interest sportsmen and some people, who are not sportsmen to know that the president keeps a record of his hits and misses when he is in the field after big game. It is an accurate record and no miss is omitted, no matter how hard the shot was or how hard were the conditions of shooting.

Mr. Roosevelt says that he has met gunners who would say, "Well, I got three out of five to-day," when in reality they had done nothing of the kind. The president doesn't charge

No Use Wasting Time.

Some people never stop to count the cost, because they realize that they haven't got the price, anyway.

If a man's library contains 18 volumes in a uniform binding it means that an agent landed him and that he has books he doesn't read.—Atchison Globe.

Literature in Chunks.

One Shoe Factory in Japan.

Japan has but one factory making leather shoes. Most of the shoes worn there are made of straw or wood.

EVERYBODY'S XMAS STORE

Radiant with the choicest holiday ware—Furniture, Cut Glass, Toys, Dolls, Glassware and Art Pieces at Janesville's lowest prices. The entire building at 8 and 10 South Main street responds enthusiastically to the call of the season. It is a splendid, dazzling Christmas store, one that appeals at once to the great buying masses. Open Every Evening Until Xmas.

PUTNAM'S

8 and 10 South Main Street

MORRIS CHAIRS

Morris Chairs of good construction in Golden Oak, Mahogany, Weathered Oak, and Imitation Mahogany. Selection of cushions. Hair filled in leather, Velour and various other coverings, an unusually good value at \$10.

Janesville's Greatest Toy and Doll Store. Prices from 5c to \$12

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| | CHINA DEPARTMENT. |
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| Rich Am. Cut Sugar & Creamer | \$2.00 |
| China Cup and Saucer | 10c to \$2.00 |
| Rich American Cut Mustard | \$1.00 |
| China Fancy Plate | 10c to \$7.00 |
| Rich American Cut Syrup | \$1.00 to \$1.50 |
| China Fancy Salad Bowl | 15c to \$3.00 |
| Rich Am. Cut, Vinegar, \$1 | \$1.25 to \$5.00 |
| China Fancy Vases from | 35c up |
| Rich American Cut 8-in. Bowl | \$2.50 |
| China Cake Plates | 2c to \$3.00 |

WHAT IS IT? A perfect Pool Table with wide rails, six pockets, fast and accurate cushions, 16 railings, ball stands, manual of rules, etc.

WHO USES IT? Boys, and the boys' fathers. Pool is a boy's game. Some girls like it just as some girls like baseball.

REMEMBER—The game is the same—the table's small—that's all.

Proportions accurately maintained. Outfit full and complete. Burrowes Miniature Pool Table, price \$6.00 WHO SELLS IT? C. S. PUTNAM.

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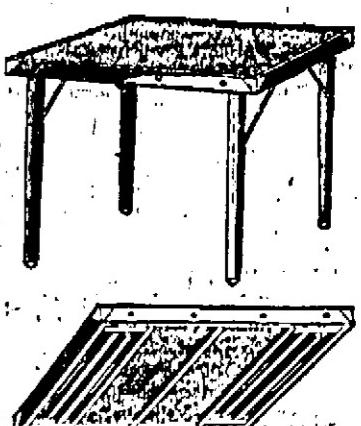
For Card Playing and other games, the Sewing Room, Study, Lutes, Teas, Receptions, etc.

This handsome table is designed to take the place of the heavy, ungainly folding tables, which, up to this time, have been the only ones on the market. A folding table of this character is a great convenience, but hitherto they have not been generally used, owing to the unsightly appearance and clumsy construction of the old fashioned kinds.

This table is as well made and handsomely finished as any high grade furniture.

The top is thin and light, yet very strong and cannot warp or twist. The legs are held rigidly in place with strong metal braces. They are self-locking, whether open or closed, and are tipped with rubber to prevent noise and injury to hardwood floors. The metal trimmings are of handsome special design and finished in old-brass effect. Patented Aug. 9, 1904.

These tables are beautifully finished in dark mahogany or natural birch with green felt resemblance, at 7 inches; weight, 9½ pounds. The price is very reasonable, at \$4.00.



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QUALITY FOR QUALITY, OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST

Gifts should be chosen now before the inevitable rush of the last few days. Our great assortment of Xmas merchandise—still remarkably complete—is all arranged in a manner easily accessible. A perusal of the lists given is sure to suggest practical gifts for men, women, and boys.

MEN'S FINE IMPORTED NECKWEAR.

French Four-in-hands, a large assortment in fancy and solid colors, Silk Four-in-hands, Satin Lined, in all shades and designs, Brocades, Fancy Figures and Stripes 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1

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Men's and Boys' Suspenders in Fine Silk and Lisle Elastic Webb, endless variety of styles and colors, regular \$1 values, 50c

Imported Flannel Waist Coats, in assortments to please the most particular. Entirely new patterns at \$2, \$2.50, \$3.00

Plain and white \$1.00, \$1.50

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Satin Stripes, Wavy Worsted Mufflers; Hemstitched Mufflers. These are some of the very latest creations, with value above anything ever offered. Especially presented for Xmas Shoppers at 50c and up. A present that will surely please.

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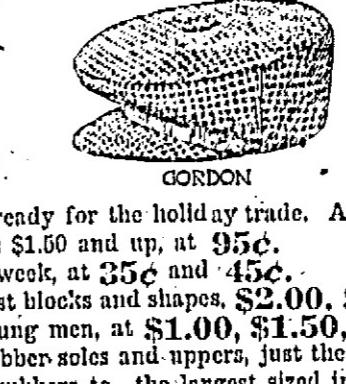


SHOES For Men and Youth, newest and most popular of styles, so much in demand by the man who knows. Made in Dull Finish, Calfskin and Patent Leathers, Lace and Button, at values from \$3.50 to \$7.00, Xmas prices, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50

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Luby's Hat and Cap Departments are ready for the holiday trade. A choice lot of men's and boys' Hats and Caps. A choice lot of men's and boys' values \$1.50 and up, at 95c. Another lot specially priced for Xmas week, at 35c and 45c.

STIFF HATS—Blacks and browns, latest blocks and shapes, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00. Fedoras, Crushers, swagger for the young men, at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00. Rubbers and Overshoes, Felt Boots—rubber soles and uppers, just the thing for this weather, in a large stock to suit all tastes, from the swagger shoes, never-slip rubbers to the largest sized in flannel and felt lined boots. Values better than ever offered in Janesville at a saving this week of 30 per cent.



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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST

Partly cloudy and possibly snow

showers in south tonight or Wednesday.

GAZETTE NOVEMBER CIRCULATION.

Sworn circulation statement of the

Daily and Semi-Weekly Gazette for

November, 1907.

DAILY.

Days. Copies. Days. Copies.

1..... 3815 16..... 3905

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Total for month..... 97,171

97,171 divided by 25, total number of issues, 3,888 Daily average.

SEMI-WEEKLY

Days. Copies. Days. Copies.

2..... 2257 20..... 2270

3..... 2268 23..... 2282

4..... 2265 27..... 2272

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Total for month..... 20,412

20,412 divided by 9, total number of issues, 2,268 Semi-Weekly average.

This is a correct report of the circulation of the Janesville Daily and Semi-Weekly Gazette for November, 1907, and represents the actual number of papers printed and circulated.

H. H. BLISS,

Business Mgr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 2nd day of December, 1907.

JENNIE L. KENDALL,

(Seal) Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 11, 1911.

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?

The Saturday Evening Post, in attempting to place responsibility for present financial conditions, accuses the manufacturers of the country for discharging men and restricting output, and argues that if the industries were steadily employed, there would be no lack of money. This is on a par with the sort of editorial stuff the Post has been turning out for a long time.

There would be just as much sense in saying to the railroads, "You ought to run all trains on scheduled time, to furnish employment to the men, whether you have a pound of freight or not."

The wheels of industry and of transportation are clogged today, not because of a disposition, to be idle, but because of necessity, which knows no law. Thousands of railroad men are working half time or not at all, because there is no demand for their services.

The Fairbanks-Morse people of Ile-let, after discharging half their force, are able to furnish the 1,600 men left with 2½ days' work per week, and these days are but five hours long.

The question of an 8-hour workday is no longer discussed, for any kind of a day is long enough for the average employer.

Factories that were filled with orders two months ago, are destitute of orders today, for countermarts have taken the place of new business.

Under those conditions, the man who charges responsibility to the manufacturers is fit subject for a fool-included institution.

The nation is suffering from the results of the culmination of a number of causes, which contributed directly or indirectly to prevailing conditions.

Over-prosperity developed extravagance and recklessness, wild speculation, possessed us as a mania, and millions of dollars were taken out of legitimate business channels, and sunk in goldbrick ratholes of every description.

The energy of the nation, directed to fanatical reform leaders, was invested in persecuting and prosecuting corporate wealth, until captains of industry became a by-word.

Stocks and bonds of every description, shrunk in value, until they became practically worthless as securities.

It was a rich man's panic, but the rich were under the ban, and no sympathy was expressed for their losses.

It never occurs to some people that capital can stand a siege of idleness, much better than labor can prosper without employment, and yet such is the case, and the millions of money retired from circulation today is evidence of the fact.

There is no sentiment about business, and while it is easy to say what ought to be done, the cold fact remains that money will remain in hiding until confidence is restored.

When as a people we abandon the spirit of censorship, which has possessed us and recognize the importance of building up rather than pulling down our great industries, then, and not until then, will normal conditions be resumed.

America has the greatest mileage,

and the best railway system, in the

world, and yet this great industry

has been so persecuted and

abused, and helpless at home,

that its satellites are worthless

abroad, and helpless at home.

In a Great Metropolis,

There are 3,658 blind Londoners,

while 2,057 are deaf and dumb.

There are 10,058 soldiers in London

barracks, 46,040 paupers in the

poorhouses, 10,000 patients in the

hospitals, 3,000 lunatics in asylums and

nearly 5,000 criminals in the prisons.

COBB LEADS BIG LEAGUES.

Detroit's Outfielder Champion Slugger and Base Stealer of Year.

Tyrus Cobb, the sensational outfielder of the Detroit American league club, is the champion batsman of the world, according to the official figures recently issued by President Dan Johnson of the American league.

Cobb leads the league in batting with .352 per cent made in 150 games, which is just two points better than the average of Hans Wagner, the five time leader of the National league

that the people be waiting for just now.

The life insurance companies, retiring from the state, on account of erratic legislation, represent a clientele of policy-holders whose protection amounts to \$100,000,000. This means that Wisconsin estates will be enriched to the extent of this liberal sum, if the policies are kept in force. But with the companies out of the state many of these policies will lapse, but then we reformed the insurance business and that ought to help some.

CONDENSED SPECIALS.

Frank Frankenberg, aged 80 years, cashier of the Colonial Savings bank of Columbus, O., dropped dead.

Fire destroyed the four-story building of the Harmony Knitting mills at Troy, N. Y. The loss is \$150,000.

The Zoppolin, shipyard and the hall in which it was kept at Friedrichshafen, Germany, were seriously damaged by a hurricane.

James and William Campbell and the latter's wife were struck by an Illinois Central passenger train at a crossing near Elworth, Ill., and killed.

A naval hospital is to be one of the features of the naval training station on the Great Lakes. Plans have been prepared for a structure to cost about \$250,000.

The geological survey is planning to establish an experiment station in Pittsburgh for the study of mine disasters with a view to abating the dangers of underground explosions.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Lewis, who inherited a fortune of \$1,500,000, has been released from a New York insane asylum after 25 years' incarceration and will now be allowed to look after her estate.

Virtually a complete transformation in the state railroad system is about to be introduced in Prussia. On all except main trunk lines, automobile cars, which run singly, will replace locomotives drawing ordinary trains.

MINNESOTA SCHOOLS CLOSED.

Scarlet Fever at Farmington and Diphtheria at Big Falls.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 17.—The state board of health has ordered the public schools at Farmington, Minn., closed because of the prevalence of scarlet fever there, many cases of which were reported as measles.

Because of diphtheria at Big Falls, Minn., the local board of health has closed the schools there.

Millionaire Dies, Aged 90.

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 17.—Benjamin Hinckley, an eccentric millionaire, died at his home in East Somerville Monday, of old age. He was 90 years old, and never was married. He was born in Somerville and it is said on only one occasion did he ever travel beyond the greater Boston district. It is related of him that he never joined any kind of organization, never had his life insured, never purchased a ticket for any sort of entertainment, never ate a meal in a hotel or restaurant, and did not spend more than one dollar in his entire life for carfare. He had not voted for 40 years. He accumulated real estate valued at \$1,500,000.

Murdered by Paroled Convict.

Popular Bluff, Mo., Dec. 17.—Owing to the fact that he was deaf, thus being unable to hear the approach of his slayer or his wife's cries of warning, Elmer Sifford, a farmer, was chopped in the top of the head with an ax by Luther Daggett, a paroled convict, and died Monday. Domestic affairs caused the crime.

Louisville Surveyor of Port Resigns.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 17.—An announcement was made Monday that William G. Dearing, surveyor of the port at Louisville under the federal government, has resigned his office to accept the position of assistant general counsel of the Louisville & Nashville railroad.

E. H. Harriman Recovering.

New York, Dec. 17.—It was said Monday night at the home of E. H. Harriman that the condition of Mr. Harriman, who is suffering from an attack of the grippe, was very much improved, and that he would be able to go to his office in a few days.

Senator Mallory Will Retire.

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 17.—United States Senator Stephen J. Mallory Monday announced that he will not be a candidate for reelection. He is seriously ill at his home here and realizes that he must retire from public life to regain his health.

Col. Watterson's Daughter Dies.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 17.—Mrs. Alexander Gilmore, formerly Miss Ethel Watterson, and the youngest daughter of Col. Henry Watterson, died at Norton Infirmary Monday. She had been critically ill since last Wednesday.

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Smaller sizes at 35c and 65c.

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What's the use of paying twice as much as necessary, when by consulting

Dr. Richards you may get the same work at less price and all done painlessly in the bargain.

Offices over Hall & Sayles Jewelry store, West Milwaukee St.

BIRTHDAY OF POET IS COMMEMORATED

Whittier's One Hundredth Birthday Celebrated at the High School by Exercises.

The one hundredth birthday of John Greenleaf Whittier was commemorated at the high school this morning by an appropriate program which was given as soon as school was called to order at nine o'clock. The songs and readings were all taken from the poet's works and were thoroughly enjoyed by the pupils. The following program was rendered:

Sketch of Whittier's Life. Mamie Spohn Reading. Girls and Boys' Glee Club Reading. Marjory Bates and Mary Ludden Reading. Laelia Sewardhill Sing. Marjory Bates and Mary Ludden

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

F. & A. M.: Started communication Western Star Lodge No. 14, F. & A. M., Masonic Temple 7:30 tonight. Election of officers. All members requested to be present.

M. H. Whitaker Here: M. H. Whitaker of Milwaukee, a former resident of Janesville and secretary of the State Barber's board, is making his annual inspection of the local shops. He went to Beloit for the same purpose this afternoon.

Started for Green Bay: Sheriff J. U. Fisher left for Fond du Lac this noon with five Beloit boys—George Knight, Miller Bell, Ralph Clarke, John Hanberry, and Walter Scarpe—who were sentenced to serve terms of two years each in the Green Bay reformatory for stealing 300 pounds of brass from the wreckage left by the C. & N. W. railroad collision on Dec. 6. An agent of the reformatory was to escort the quintette from Fond du Lac to the northern city.

WHY NOT A WINTER SUIT FOR THE LADY?

There are many women who have not secured their winter suit or coat for reasons best known to themselves and the husband who considers the shadow of his wife will put more than passing thought to his selection of the Christmas gift. The idea of combining the purchase this year with the thought of usefulness is not a bad one and the present price on a very complete stock of these articles at Simpson's will prove an incentive to making purchases of wearing apparel for ladies to be used as Christmas gifts.

What Shall I Give For Christmas?

A question that is uppermost in the minds of everyone just now. Why not give a telephone? Nothing will please your family or your dearest friend quite so much. Let us instill one as your gift for a year. It is a most sensible present and one that will be in use and give joy to the recipient every day in the year. We've made special arrangements for those Christmas gift telephones. Call or write Contract Department.

ROCK COUNTY TELEPHONE CO.

1800 subscribers.

Miss Lyke's Sale: On account of the solicitation of her friends, Miss Lyke will hold her Christmas exhibit and sale Wednesday, the 18th, all day and evening, at Frank D. Kimball's store.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

See Fleek's window. Fine smoke—Council Chamber 5 cent cigar.

You saw it in Fleek's window. Smoke Rubin clear Havana Cigars. The poorest in Fleek's window. Use Taylor's Saloy cake.

See the "modogram" on watch in Fleek's window.

Insurance a Godsend in time of need. See Calico, Northwestern Mutual Life.

Annoy sale still on at Fleek's. All you can eat at the M. E. church on Wednesday for 25¢.

Don't forget the chicken pie supper at the M. E. church.

25 to 50 per cent discount at Fleek's annex sale.

The ladies of the Cargill M. E. church will hold their general meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 in the church parlors. Every lady of the church is urged to be present.

Watch Fleek's window. Don't miss our sample for sale Thursday, Dec. 19th, an excellent opportunity to buy a practical Christmas gift at a great saving in price. T. P. Burns.

Seventy pounds Xmas candy and twenty pounds nuts ordered from Alle-Hauck by a local church yesterday.

Men's fine silk mufflers, homespun ends, \$1.25 value, at 98c. T. P. Burns.

IN THE GOOD OLD TIMES.

A modern Atlas. The farmer stands, The world on his shoulders, A bug in his hand.

The farmer is enjoying an era of prosperity and is smiling at the outside world. "We are also enjoying a healthy increase in the output of our pasteurized milk. Why not invest in the reason for its increasing demand?"

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FOR MEN THESE GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Men's gloves, hats, canes, umbrellas, fur lined coats, mufflers, sweaters, coats and vests,

TAILOR-MADE RAIN COATS.

A very useful gift and serviceable to a marked degree for pleasant as well as rainy weather, and also correct for wearing over evening clothes.

As a holiday special we suggest a fine dark gray worsted cloth, made by the same class of tailors who produce our best overcoats. It will stand the hardest wear—special, at \$20.00.

HANDKERCHIEFS AND HOSE.

Men's hemstitched pure linen handkerchiefs, rare values at 25c. Men's linen handkerchiefs, hand embroidered initials, 25c. Men's imported real lisle thread half hose, with rich hand embroidered designs, 3 pairs in fancy box, \$1.50. Men's lisle thread half hose, with hand-embroidered designs over insteps; three pairs in a fancy box for Christmas, at \$1. Newest French lisle half hose, plain and novelty weaves, latest Paris colorings, one pair in fancy box, \$1 and \$1.50.

50c OR \$1.00 DOES A LOT.

See what \$1.00 or 50c will do in the line of suspenders. Many of these are handsomely boxed for Xmas in silk and cotton lined boxes at 50c, 75c and \$1. We have boxes containing one pair silk suspenders, one pair men's garters, and pair of elastic, handsomely arranged for Christmas presents, at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS—MEN'S NECKWEAR.

Beautiful creations in high grade four-in-hands—styles the haberdasher would exact. 75c for, at 50c. Others \$1, \$1.50, \$2 to \$3.

Special attention is called to our fine line of Suit Cases in imitation leather at \$1.00 to \$3.00. These are handsome and very serviceable. All leather suit cases, brass corners, hinges and locks, at \$5. to \$12. This is one of the best lines in the city.

From hat to hose, the man who is planning for the holidays will find his best interests served here. Our newest overcoats present the season's most fashionable models. In suits, the striking colorful designs in fancy suits, perfect in fit and fashion. Every requisite for Hats and Gloves.

SWEATER COATS.

An excellent suggestion, especially this year when sweater coats are in such great popular demand. Made like a coat and a splendid substitute for the sweater. In gray worsted yarns—\$3.50 and \$6.00. In gray trimmed with red, in gray trimmed with blue—for boys, at \$1.50.

GREAT SALE MEN'S UMBRELLAS.

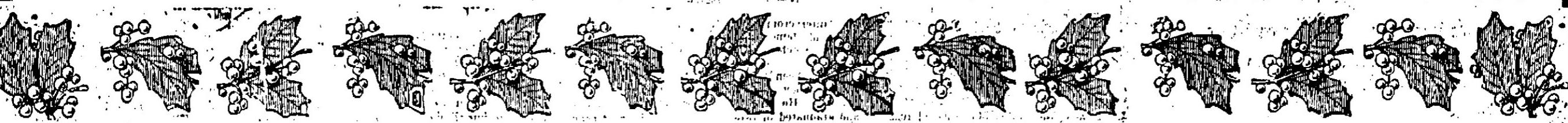
We bought a large quantity of elegant handles at less than cost of production and had them made up with silk and linen coverings, so that by cutting our profits to a very narrow margin we can give you the choice of the lot at \$3. They are as good as any \$5 line we ever sold in the department—handles are sterling silver, exquisitely wrought, and the materials are the best silk and linen, choice at \$3. Men's \$7.50 Umbrellas at \$5. A maker's sacrifice sale. Umbrellas made up in yarn dye, etc., and the handles are ivory, silver, pearl and gunmetal, \$5.

CRAVATS.

Perhaps no dress accessory will appeal more happily than a cravat—in our planning we believe ideal requirements have been fulfilled for gifts. The new four-in-hands in colorings and designs as well as in correctness of shape are ready at an attractive price range—50c to \$3.00.

All Leather Traveling Bags, linen and leather-lined, oil grained from \$2.00 up to \$16.50, in pure alligator hides.

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FRANK SCHUMAN AND HIS WONDERFUL SUNLIGHT MOTOR
part of Philadelphia. This is a simple wooden frame 18x60 feet sunk into the ground, and covered with a double top of ordinary hothouse glass with one-inch air space between the layers. Between this coating of glass are coiled iron pipes, painted black, from which the inventor derives his power. These pipes are filled with ether and connect with a nearby engine. The circuit is scientifically designed as a "closed" one and the other in the pipes is converted into vapor in the hot box, passes through the engine, developing the power which produces the results. Mr. Schuman is very sanguine that his invention will in a short time be utilized by industrial concerns.

The above picture shows the inventor on a big hot box placed in the yard of his home in Tacony, which is



MRS. PHILANDER KNOX, WASHINGTON, D. C.

An Xmas Mistake

By FRANK H. SWEET.

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ST. NICHOLAS was resting
From his Christmas work at last,
The gifts he'd all been given,
The holidays were past,
And, dozing in his armchair,
With his cat upon his knees,
The good saint smoked his honest pipe,
And took his honest ease,
But something roused him quickly.
He started from his seat,
A soldier bold, a maiden fair,
Wore kneeling at his feet.
"St. Nicholas," the maiden cried,
"Behold my fearful plight!
These wounds have been inflicted
Since that dreadful, dreadful night
When you left me in the stocking.
O'er a being I dare not name!"
She paused. The soldier raised his voice
And said: "I blush with shame
To stand before your saintship.
In the dress you now behold,
But the way I have been treated,
Makes my very blood run cold.
I've been nursed and kissed and caressed;
I've been rocked and sung to sleep,

"This soldier-to-be girl,"
And then aloud he gravely said:
"I grieve to see your pain,
But if you'll stay with me a year
All shall be well again.
Next Christmas eve, my children,
When you are well and strong,
I will put you in the stockings
Where you really do belong."

"I wonder where my soldier is!"
Cried gentle little Mall,
And Daby, gazing round him, sobbed,
"Where is my baby doll?"
But, though they hunted high and low
And searched both far and near,
The maiden and the soldier bold
Were seen no more that year.

Crabshell as Barometer.
A curious barometer is used by the remnant of the Araucanians race, which inhabits the southern-most province of Chile. It consists of the cast-off shell of a crab. The dead shell is white in fair, dry weather, but the approach of a moist atmosphere is indicated by the appearance of small red spots. If the moisture in the air increases sufficiently, the shell becomes entirely red.

Made Brave Rescue.
Seeing an Italian named Costaglioli about to sink for the third time, in Grimsby, England, York's dock, the other day, a trimmer, named Taylor, got two men to lower him by the net over the dock side. He grabbed the man's coat and held him for several minutes while hoops and ropes were obtained and the rescuee completed.

Things That Count.
Let the weakest, let the humblest remember, that in his daily course he can, if he will, shed around him almost a heaven. Kindly words, sympathizing attentions, watchfulness against wounding men's sensitiveness, these cost very little, but they are priceless in their value. Are they not almost the staple of our daily happiness? From hour to hour, from moment to moment, we are supported, blest, by small kindnesses.

Flowers as Party Emblems.
Flowers have their political significance in France. Years ago the followers of Gen. Boulanger adopted the red carnation as their emblem. Gossip records that Miss Mata, the famous actress, was blessed off the stage one night in Paris in the restoration period because she wore a bunch of violets. Violets are the Bonapartist flower.

Whale Bank Steam Trawler.
While whale hunting off Mayness the Norwegian steam trawler Diamon encountered a huge whale which, after being harpooned, struck the vessel with such force that her plates were stove in. The crew was rescued by the trawler Sativa, which towed the Diamon, in a sinking condition, into Grimsby, England.

"Beauty Doctors'" Harvests.
Compounds of beauty—lotions, blanches, pastes and powders have thriven from time immemorial, though never as in the present, when fortunes are being steadily amassed by the gentry who cater to the inherent yearning of womankind to improve upon nature's gift.—Family Doctor.

Was Not to Be Deceived.
Mrs. Murray Keith, a venerable Scotch lady, from whom Sir Walter Scott derived many of the traditional stories and anecdotes wrought up in his Waverley novels, taxed him one day with the authorship, which he as usual stoutly denied. "What," exclaimed the old lady, "d'ye think I dinna ken my ain goats among other folk's kail?"

Flowers at Birth and Death.
When a French baby is born his cradle is apt to be surrounded with blooms. When a Frenchman dies his bier and his grave will be lavishly decorated with flowers. The sum spent on the adorning of graves runs into the millions annually. In Perea-Chalos alone, the tomb of the Worms de Romilly family is kept covered with fresh flowers at a cost of 30,000 francs a year.

How to Keep Young.
All the facial massages, all the creams and lotions in the world will not enable a woman to keep young unless she keeps her heart young at the same time; for, as Dorothy Quigley says: "Thoughts pencil your face," and sweet, bright thoughts bring their reward in a sweet, bright expression.

Keep Mum.
Women, as women, are pretty much alike. They have the same hair, differing slightly only as to color and length; same features, same thoughts. When we love one of them, therefore, we are in reality loving them all. But it is just as well not to mention this.—Life.

His Funeral Remarks.
"By de blues! er Providence," said Brother Williams, "he lof' money 'uff ter bury him, en dar'l be, some lef' ter help his widder get a black dress, ter mourn for him, twel she git married ag'in."—Atlanta Constitution.

Good Remedy for Earache.
Here is a remedy for earache never known to fail: "Take a bit of cotton batting, put upon it a pinch of black pepper, gather it up and tie it; dip in sweet oil and insert in the ear. Put a flannel bandage over the head to keep it warm. It will give immediate relief."

Why Borrow Trouble?
As you and everyone else enjoy a good dinner without thought of the poor cooking of the morrow, why can you not take the joys of the present with zest, and not embitter them with borrowed troubles of a possible future.—Exchange.

Framed Pictures For Xmas Gifts

Among the specially interesting values in our Picture Section is an assortment of pastels, fitted with handsome gilt frames of various styles of ornamentation; marked at about the regular prices of frames only, each.....\$1.00 to \$12.00

Carbons, Etchings, Etc.

Framed in gilt, brown and black, Cupids and religious subjects, in square, oval and circle brown frames; each .50c, 75c, \$1, \$2 up to \$3

Gilt and Black Framed Fac-Similes

Colored facsimiles, in an almost unlimited range of subjects; each10c, 15c, 25c

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Howard Chandler Christy Pictures, 16x20, with mat well framed, each\$1.00

Water Color Paintings, Mottoes, Symphonies, Platinum Points, Photography Outfits, Points, Bulbs, Stains, Wood, Etc.

We carry a very complete stock of the 3-ply basswood in panels, oval and round pieces, Jewel, Handkerchief, Glove, Photo, Photo Frames, Inkstands and numerous other articles.

Boxes20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, \$1.00 & \$1.25

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Photo Frames, Book Racks, Cigar Holders, New lot put on sale today.

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The picture that is turned toward the wall was not framed here. The frames we make add so much to the attractiveness of the picture that they're always a pleasure to show. The frame is half.

CARL W. DIEHLS

Corner River and Milwaukee Sts.

Marriage an "Endurance Thalle." "Throughout about matrimony, as I have observed, it's in me seat in th' gran' stand, is that after fifteen or twenty years it settles down to an endurance thrill." Women, as Hogan says, "are creatures by such beam-econ union; that to be loved they have but to be seen; but," he says, "want they're seen an' made secure," he says, "we first embrace, then pity, then endure," he says.—"Dooly," in Harper's.

Kings in Exile.
In the Philadelphia directory for 1785 in the following entry: "Dorleans Mews, Merchant, near 100 South Fourth street." These were Louis Philippe, afterward King of France, and two of his brothers, who lived at the northwest corner of Fourth and Princess streets.

Baby's Idol.
In a certain part of China there is kept a little idol shaped like a child. Whenever a baby is suffering from indigestion, or some other ailment, the mother climbs up the hill to the hut where the idol is kept, rubs the idol and prays over it for her baby's recovery. So many hands have rubbed the little image that the outside is worn quite smooth.

The Thankful Heart.
A thankful heart is not the only greatest virtue but the parent of all other virtues.—Cicero.

HOLME'S STORE

Only a Few More Days Left

in which to do your Xmas shopping. Before making your purchases be sure to look over our splendid assortment of reasonably priced Xmas novelties. We have hundreds of useful articles to select from.

Pure Linen Launch Cloths, hemstitched, fine damask with openwork 85¢

18x54 pure white mercerized damask Scarfs, very handsome 50¢

Battenberg lace Doilies, size 12x12, have linen centers 35¢

Ladies' imported Hand, fancy embroidered 50¢

Fancy mounted Back Combs, shell or amber, latest French styles, each 50¢

Infants' wool Eiderdown Jackets, trimmed pink and blue, just right for the baby 50¢

Men's Suspenders, put up in neat, fancy boxes 50¢

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Knotted fringe extra fine damask Towels, also hemstitched 50¢

Knotted fringe towels, strictly pure linen damask, 25¢

Choice selection of Handkerchief Boxes, Brush and Comb Sets, Postal Card Boxes, Jewel Boxes, Sewing Boxes, Collar and Cuff Boxes, etc., etc.

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Y. M. C. A. in New York.
New York city is the greatest Y. M. C. A. center in the world. It has more than 40 organizations and 20,000 members; it has 400 secretaries and employees, and 2,800 of its members are office holders and committee-men. Its largest building, the "Twenty-third street branch," cost \$1,000,000, and has 3,000 members.

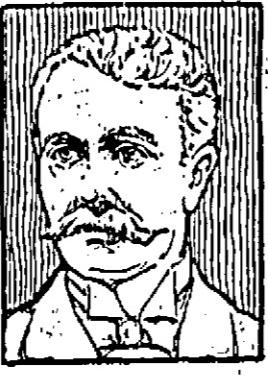
Agreed with His Honor.
At the close of a lengthened and bitter wrangle between the Judge and a prominent counsel, the former said: "Well, sir, if you do not know how to conduct yourself as a gentleman, I'm sure I can't teach you." To which the barrister mildly replied: "That is so, your honor."

For Threatened Breakdown.
When a breakdown is threatened, remember that there is no preventive like exercise and rest. A few minutes of each daily will outweigh a dozen neutrums. Why? It will steady the action of the heart, set the lungs to better purifying of the blood, and will aid every organ of the body to do its best work.

Missionaries in India.
There are, altogether, foreign and native, 25,700 persons that are actively engaged in bringing the gospel to India, while ten years ago there were only 16,180—a gain of nearly 60 per cent.

IN THE LIMELIGHT

FRIEND OF THE FORESTS



Gifford Pinchot, national forester, is earning the title of "savior of the American trees." He stands before the forests of the nation and the ruthless tax of commercial exploitation, a one-man bulwark, holding back the vast timber famine which is threatening the country.

Pinchot has succeeded in establishing national forests in the Rocky mountains in time to save the west from the sudden floods and other evils that follow upon deforestation. It is in the east where the danger lies. The Appalachians are practically denuded of their growth of trees, and the floods that cost western Pennsylvania several millions of dollars last spring are declared by him to be the result. Yet an appropriation of \$45,000 for national forests is in the chain not with much opposition, and barely passed congress.

Mr. Pinchot, now 45 years old, was the first American to take up forestry as a profession and practice it with scientific efficiency. After being graduated from Yale university he went abroad and studied his chosen profession in the schools of France and Germany. Upon his return he put into operation on the estate of George W. Vanderbilt at Biltmore, N. C., the first attempt at systematic forestry to be made in the United States.

His wealth gave him ample opportunity to study the forest conditions of the United States, and in 1896, when the nation awoke to the fact that if immediate action were not taken the land would soon become a vast, treeless plain, he was the man of the hour. He first served on a committee of the National Academy of Science in advising the secretary of the interior how to deal with forest lands. In 1898 President McKinley put him in charge of the division of forestry.

In addition to his work as national forester Mr. Pinchot has done much to promote the teaching of forestry as a science and its practice as a profession in this country. The Yale School of Forestry, of which he was professor before entering the federal service, was founded through his efforts and the generosity of his family. His enthusiasm caused his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Pinchot, to join with his brother, Amos R. E. Pinchot, and himself in giving \$100,000 for the endowment of the school. That was in 1900. Two years later Mr. and Mrs. Pinchot and their forest-loving son added \$50,000 to the gift.

Prof. Albert A. Michelson, head of the department of physics of the University of Chicago, has been awarded the Nobel prize for physics for 1907 by the Swedish Academy of Sciences. His efforts in measuring the velocity of light, marked by the invention of several machines to record the light waves, placed him at the head of the world's physicists, with the \$40,000 as a reward. Recently he received the Copley medal of the Royal Society of England for his experiments on light.

Prof. Michelson has constructed several machines recently for measuring light wave lengths, but it is believed by his colleagues at the University of Chicago that the Nobel prize has been awarded to him for work which he did in the '90s. His experiments then were in measuring light by what is known as the "revolving mirror" method.

One of his most useful inventions is the "Interferometer," which measures small distances in wave lengths. Much of his fame was gained by the discovery that many lines in the metallic spectra which were supposed to be simple, were in reality complex.

Prof. Michelson is a German by birth, having been born in Strembo, 55 years ago. He came to the United States when a boy and was educated in the grammar and high schools of San Francisco. He received an appointment to the United States Naval academy and graduated in 1873.

In 1880 he studied at the University of Berlin and the following year at Heidelberg. Then he went to Paris, where he resumed his studies at the College de France and the Ecole Polytechnique. In 1884 he resigned from the Naval academy to take the chair of physics at the Case school, Cleveland. From 1882 to 1892, when he came to the University of Chicago, he was professor of physics at Clark university.

"MORGAN OF THE WEST"

James Borwick-Porgan, president of the First National bank of Chicago, and head of the Windy City clearing house, has come to be known since the financial flurry started as the "J. Pierpont Morgan of the west." His recent hurried trip to Washington was匆忙, it is believed, at the instance of President Roosevelt. His conferences with the president, Secretary Cortelyou, United States Treasurer Treat and others followed those held with Mr. Morgan.

Mr. Porgan outlined to the administration the situation in the west, as Mr. Morgan did the situation in the east. He brought cheering news to Washington, too, of the desire of the west to get back immediately to a cash basis, and of the beginning of the movement to the Atlantic and Pacific coast of the immense crops of the west, crops that will bring to the United States a flood of gold from Europe and Asia.

Mr. Porgan has the reputation of being one of the best practical bankers in the country. His Chicago bank has the largest following of any bank in the country. It acts as banking agent for 6,000 individuals, firms and corporations, and while it has no great accounts such as the larger New York banks have, it has deposits of \$60,000,000.

Mr. Porgan is 47 years old, and in his present position is the successor of Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage and Samuel M. Nickerson. Born in St. Andrews, Scotland, in 1860, Mr. Porgan after leaving school went into the Royal Bank of Scotland, where he served his apprenticeship. He asked for a position in the Bank of British North America in London, and after a competitive examination was given a place. He continued in the employ of this bank, coming to America to work in its branches, and after serving in other banking positions went to Minneapolis. While acting as cashier of the Northwestern National bank of that city he attracted the attention of Lyman J. Gage, then president of the First National of Chicago, and was invited to become vice-president.

JUDGE REFORMS DRUNKARDS

Judge William J. Pollard, of St. Louis, who devised the scheme to reform drunkards by compelling them to take a pledge to abstain from intoxicating liquor for a year, has found it to work so successfully that he has applied it to those who disturb the domestic peace by nagging.

The fame of Judge Pollard and his pledges has traveled to England, and when he visited that country last summer he found many courts following his example. He was feted and lionized by the temperance societies, which looked upon his plan as the most practical work a judge can do for the cause. The Judge himself is a total abstainer and has been all his life, although he has never taken a pledge.

Judge Pollard is a native Missourian, on the sunny side of 50. Although his parents were wealthy slaveholders, they lost their money in the civil war and he had only a meager education, of which, however, he made the most by reading and travel. He is a fair lawyer, but in the exercise of his office as police judge he has depended as much on the application of common sense and a broad knowledge of human nature as upon the law. Either as justice of the peace or police judge he has been the arbiter of petty disputes, civil or criminal, since 1894.

Although he frequently has as many as 100 to 150 cases on his docket

in a day, he will not consent to a job lot dispensation of justice nor to rapid fire decisions, and he has been known to adjourn court when conflicting testimony made the case a hopeless tangle, and to personally investigate on the spot.

Don't Talk Too Much.

Don't be too ready with advice. If your opinion is really needed, it is sure to be asked for. People who force advice upon one have not sufficient tact to be "best" friends.

To the Big for State to Marjorie.
The magnitude of this disaster is too great for West Virginia to alone render all the help required. It commands national attention and the committee feels assured that its appeal will be heard and responded to by the nation.

"All checks should be made payable to the Monongah Miner Relief Committee, J. E. Sands, treasurer, Fairmont, W. Va.

"M. M. O. Dawson, Governor of West Virginia.

"P. J. Donahue, Bishop of Wheeling.

"John W. Mason, Judge Circuit Court.

"W. H. Moore, Mayor of Monongah.

"A. Howard Fleming, Postmaster of Fairmont, Secretary, Subscription Committee."

Shoots Two Women, Kills Himself.

Columbus, O., Dec. 10.—Otto Schmidgler, a Hungarian tailor, Sunday shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Caroline Webster and seriously wounded Miss Myrtle Spence, and then killed himself.

The tragedy occurred at the home of Mrs. Webster, a grocer's wife.

The latter had been out of employment

for some time and was despondent.

It is said Schmidgler was infatuated with Miss Spence and that his advances

had been repudiated.

Nebraska Slayer Under Arrest.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 10.—Fred Casey, whose arrest has been sought by federal authorities for shooting to death Jesus Murray February 24 last, near Scott Bluff, Neb., where both

were engaged in work on a government irrigation plant, is under arrest here, and has been identified by Mrs. Murray as the man who killed her husband.

Casey admitted the shooting.

Serious, Indeed.

"Lady," said the tattered tramp at the gate, "can't you spare me a dime

on a very urgent collection?" "What

do you call an urgent collection?" asked the busy housewife. "Why, you see, I have just been fined \$20,000,000

for ridin' on an oil car an' I've only

got two days to get it together."

Seven Bagshaw Firemen Injured.

Bagshaw, Mich., Dec. 10.—Seven firemen were injured, Frank Sovo perhaps fatally, in the burning of the Bagshaw Produce & Cold Storage company's plant in West Bagshaw Sunday. The property loss was about \$10,000. Five of the firemen were caught under a falling wall and two were hurt by the explosion of an ammonia tank.

Run Over by Pioneer Limited.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 15.—Roy Saine,

25 years old, and Charles Alater, 20

years old, both living at 287 Cliff

street, were run over by the Pioneer Limited, the fast Chicago train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul rail-

way, Sunday night, and are thought

to be fatally injured.

Good Comparison.

William Dean Howells at a Lenten dinner in New York said: "I heard of a striking simile the other day. A lady was doing some Lenten marketing—buying eggs, fish, fruit. Passing before a fruit stand, she examined a heap of pears. 'Are these juicy?' she asked. 'Juicy,' said the dealer warmly. 'Why, ma'am, they're as juicy as my old pipe.'

Milwaukee Man Takes Poison.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 17.—Henry Clarke, who it is thought came to Minneapolis from Milwaukee a week ago, committed suicide by taking morphine in a room at the Mankato House Sunday night. Clarke is said to have been a railroad employee.

Lawlessness in Italy.

Italy has more convicts per capita

than any other country.

SILK.

At Xmas we sell more silk than usual and it has got nosed about quite generally that

the quality at the Big, Busy Store is a little more dependable than the average run of silk.

Of plain taffetas there are strong numbers in 32-in. guaranteed, at \$1.00, chiffon fabrics 36-in. at \$1.25 and 30-in. at \$1.50 and \$1.75 in the "Monoyback" quality.

Of waist silks we show the most complete line we have ever carried, both plain and fancy.

Chiffon in stylish patterns at 55c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

We carry plain silks in Peau de Crepe, Peau de Cygne, Peau de Sole and silk poplin Crepe de Chene and thoroughly reliable grades in plain and changeable taffeta.

We also have fancy silks for mufflers which are beautiful in floral designs.

Our silk counter is a very busy place.

CORSETS.

We make a specialty of BON TON and ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS.

Most women can find use for a corset; they make a safe present and most acceptable.

THE NEWEST BON TONS. Style 863, Princess hip, medium length;

style 804, Princess hip, extra long waist, both \$3.00. Style 813, Princess hip, short, adapted to petite figures, \$4.00. Style 817, Princess hip, extra long, superior bone, especially fine fitting, a popular model during our recent demonstration, \$5.00. ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS, at \$1.00 and \$1.50. None better for the price; made in medium length, long, extra long, short or Princess hip.

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Just the thing for uncle or grandpa to give the baby. Ours

are the deodorized robes, fine and soft, some plain, others with

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American Intellectual Life Shaped by
Living Authors.

The Journeymen writers write almost all that almost all Americans read, says Walter Page in the Atlantic. This is the fact that we love to fool ourselves about. We talk about "literature" and we talk about "hack writers," implying that the reading we do is of literature. The truth all the while is, we read little else than the writing of the hacks—living hacks, that is, men and women that write for pay. We may hug the notion that our life and thought are not really affected by current literature, that we read the living writers only for utilitarian reasons, and that our real intellectual life is fed by the great dead writers. But our hugging this delusion does not change the fact that the intellectual life even of most educated persons, and certainly of the mass of the population, is fed chiefly by the writers of our own time. Let us hope that the great writers of the past do set the standards, whereby a few judge the writing of the present. But, even if this be true, it is still true also that the intellectual life of the American people is chiefly shaped by current writing.

SHOWED THE PATH OF DUTY.

Timely Advice That Shaped the Destinies of Great Men.

At a critical time in the life of John Wesley, when, to save his soul, he was about to retire into a remote privacy and give himself up to prayer and self-discipline, an unknown adviser, a "serious man," gave him back to England and humanity by saying to him: "Sir, you wish to serve God and go to Heaven. Remember, you can not serve Him alone. You must find companions or make them. The Bible knows nothing of a solitary religion." A few words spoken by a servant maid to Charles Wesley led him to stop, before his long-struggling brother, into life and liberty of soul. And when Whitfield was setting out for America some wise friend said to him: "If you have a mind to convert Indians, there are colliers enough in Kingswood." He went to the Kingswood colliers, and in this so doing the great evangelical revival in England was begun.

Women as Story-Makers.

Women write with color and spirit; an unexpected number of them are showing genuine humor. A few have brute force, as well. Women novelists have the sense, too, of initiation; they construct plots that are intricate and then carry them through with dash. They manufacture good dialogue, and they know human nature under all aspects save one. The woman who knows man is yet to come. She can handle him domestically, perhaps, though there is often more of masculine objection to a "fuss" than great feminine diplomacy in his concessions. But she cannot maneuver him in a book. Man, though, has plummaged woman's heart and charted it better than she could do herself. Until she can do as much for him, he has no fear of being entirely ousted from the field of action.—Cleveland Leader.

Through Purifying Process.
A business man who had purchased a Salvation Army paper from one of the blue-bonneted peddlers, handed her a five-dollar bill which he asked her to turn into the treasury with his compliments. As she thanked him, he said: "How do you know how I made that money? Perhaps it is tainted." She looked at the money for a moment, and then folded it up and put it in her purse, an air, answered: "No money can be so bad that it cannot be fumigated in passing through our treasury. In this gift, sir, you have done good for yourself, good for the army, and good for some poor sinner who needs aid. How can money be tainted that does so much?"

The Family's Night Out.
In one large family a pegboard on which the members can record their outgoing, and incoming at night is a valuable article. It is a board with holes in it like a cribbage board, arranged in two vertical columns. Each column has as many holes as there are persons in the family, with the names in between. When "George" goes out he puts his peg in the "out" column and when he comes in, he puts it back in the "in". The last one who puts the last "in" for the night has to lock the door and make things secure for the night.

Living Books.
An Arizona Indian library is an interesting one. An Arizona Judge, who has been studying this tribe, says that they select several promising youths of their tribe from time to time for living libraries of their traditions, and they are carefully instructed in the historical legends pertaining to their tribe, being required to commit them faithfully to memory. They in turn instruct their successors, and thus preserve the traditions in the exact language recited by their ancestors of many years ago.

More Practical.
"Did you hear that the professor had succeeded in squaring the circle?" "No, I didn't; but if he would figure a while longer and tell a man how to square his wife when he comes home at two a.m., I think he would have a more appreciative audience."—Nashville American.

One Man's Worthy Charity.
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Rich and elegant; ideal Xmas presents. We have them in every conceivable and desirable effect, plain and fancy, 50¢ to \$3.00.

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Just received a special holiday assortment, entirely new patterns. They will make a gift any man will appreciate, \$1 to \$3.

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They always please. The price range makes it easy to grade your expenditures to meet your purse.

Men's Custom Slippers, tan, black and chocolate colors, Romeo, Opera and Everett styles, \$1.50.

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Men's Felt Slippers, Romeo and Opera styles, warm and comfortable, \$1.25 and \$1.00.

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Women's Julietts, women's Felt Julietts, fur trimmed, colors are brown, green, black and wine, special 98¢.

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Woman's Slippers, new designs for party and dancing, patent leathers, box and buckle and strap styles, special \$2.50.

Marzluff ladies' Shoes for gifts, new styles in patent leathers, just received for holiday wear; button, Blucher and lace styles, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

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Nothing is more appropriate for Christmas Gifts or better appreciated by men than high grade wearing apparel. Our immense stock affords you the opportunity to select from the largest assortment ever shown in Janesville. We mention a few suitable as well as practical gifts.

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All the fashionable colors and new designs of the season.... 25¢, 50¢, 75¢

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All the high grade makes. Lined or unlined.

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Made of all the finest materials appropriate for these garments. 50¢ to \$1.00.

A full line of Pajamas at \$1, \$1.50

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Both plain and fancy, including the two best known makes.

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A pair of those dressy Foster Shoes

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For comfort, elegance and ease—Felt Romeos. Made of fine, pure comfey felt, fur bound; noiseless soles of belting leather; all colors.

OR

Something in a fine hand welt in kid, patent or gun metal

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OR

A pair of those Felt Julietts or Slippers in gray, wine, red or black

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FOR THE MEN

A pair of Florsheim dressy Patent Kid, Gun Metal, Velour or Vici Kid Shoes

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Our assortment of Slippers is very complete in both the Opera and Everett styles. They make a very useful gift

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FOR THE CHILDREN

A fine line of pretty Shoes and Slippers at

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FORTY YEARS AGO

Janesville Gazette, Dec. 7, 1867.—Dry—The weather may be set down as sounding wet in comparison with the "local" world. The field is literally parched.

Oratorio This Evening—We shall be much interested if the hall is not well filled this evening, by those who admire the beautiful Oratorio of Sparta. "Nothing was ever more highly enjoyed by our citizens when it was rendered before, and the relish left to hear it again."

A German Party—There will be a social party in Wheeler's hall on Thursday evening which is to be exclusively German. In its character, Dancing will form a prominent feature of the occasion. The German people know how to enjoy themselves most thoroughly in gatherings of this kind, and we have no doubt they will have a pleasant time on Thursday evening.

Show—The snow is reported to be

ten inches deep at La Crosse.

Reports at headquarters say that three thousand whites and six thousand negroes in Louisiana are at the point of starvation, and that General Hancock will ask Congressional appropriation for their relief.

The Spanish minister at Washington gives credence to the statement that Spain is desirous of selling Cuba and Porto Rico to the United States. The amount asked, one-hundred and fifty millions of dollars, precludes the possibility of its purchase.

London, Dec. 16.—Last night an ap-

parently organized attempt was made

to set fire to several warehouses in

the city but they were not successful.

The Incendiary is generally supposed

to have been the work of Fenians,

though none of the parties engaged on

the plot were caught. These events

cause alarm throughout the metropoli-

tan. The magistrates are swearing in

special police by the hundreds.

Human Responsibility.
No human being can come into this world without increasing or diminishing the sum total of human happiness, not only of the present, but of every subsequent age of humanity.—Elliott Burritt.

Remaining Young Long.

One step in this twentieth century we are making in the right direction—two are remaining young much longer. Our grandmothers took to caps at 40 and became old women before they had attained to middle age. Now we are frisky at 60 and are taking our part in social life well on in the seventies, many even in the eighties, and some fortunate people when over 90.

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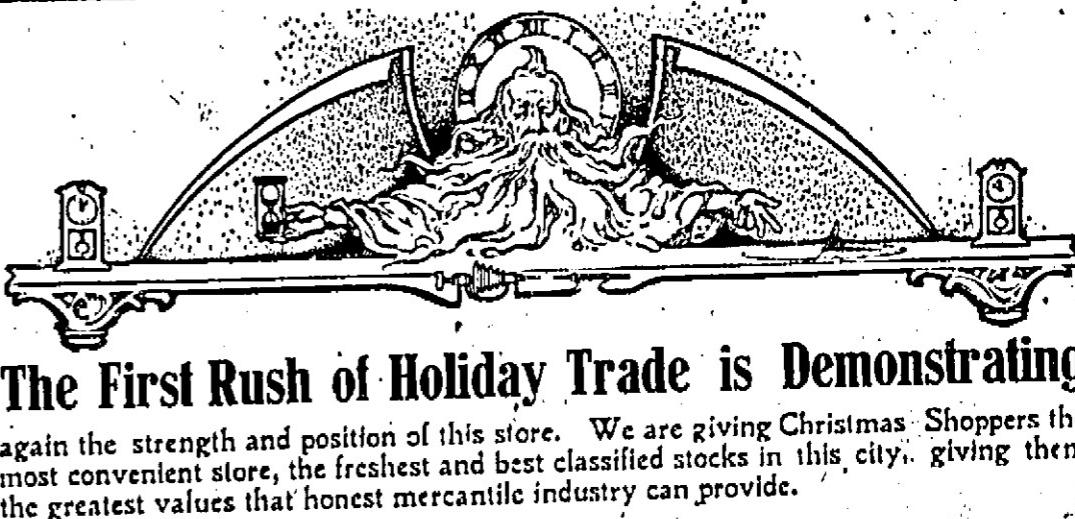
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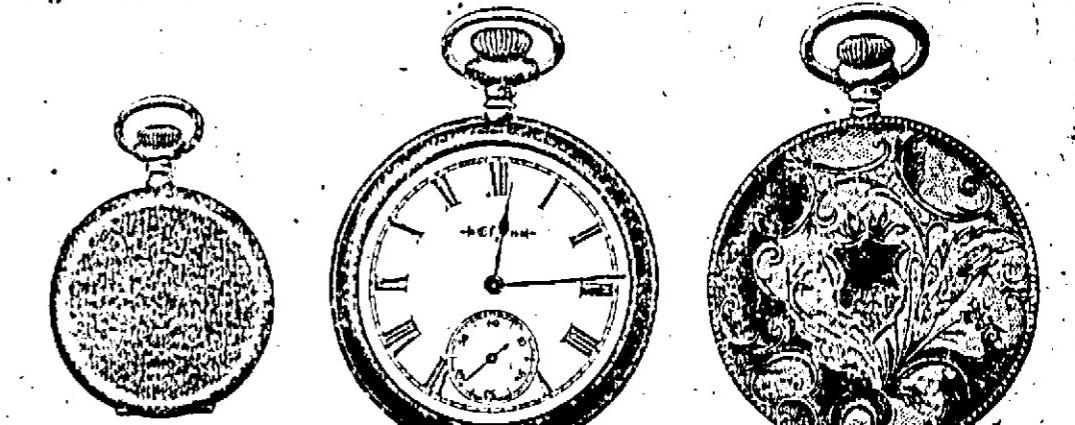
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WANTED—Good agent to sell medical specialty to ladies of Janesville, Rockford and Beloit. Can easily make from five to ten dollars per day. Call at 101 Locust street; Ask for Mrs. Henning.

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FOR RENT—Newly furnished room with furnace heat and gas, 87 N. Henry St.

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FOR RENT—Seven-room house, modern conveniences, 104 Park St. J. L. Dear, 2015 Main St.

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FOR SALE—Old newspaper put up in two pieces available for ash or similar carpet use; five cents per pound at Hazelton office.

FOR SALE—Five choice Duron Jersey heifers, a few brood cows and calves. W. G. H. Hiltz.

FOR SALE—Four fine brood cows weighing about 110 lbs. Inquire at Elm, Hazelton farm, near Marion, Wis.

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If the maker is ashamed to offer it, should you not hesitate to adopt it into your family? I refer to the "stenciled" or "removable" piano, if the factory name is not on an illustration or cast in the plate, however. A. V. Lyon.

LAST, Sunday afternoon—A ladies' gold watch and for sale. Name—Linda. Price—\$10. Main Howard.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—I wish to correspond concerning the death of my mother, about the year 1907 in Janesville, Wisconsin. She went by the name of Mrs. Vernon, geburte Mrs. Mrs. Vernon, wife. Her maiden name was Kamie. Kindly address Gladys, 101 Elm, or P. O. Box 100, Hazelton, Ohio.

A FEW GOOD SNAPS ON CITY HUNTING—A good house on Elm Street, 100 feet back, was included; beautiful view of South Main street, all modern, a good house on Milton avenue. Three houses are all well located and in good condition. Will be sold on very reasonable terms. We have a large list for you to choose from. Money back guarantee. For full particulars call on Jas. W. Scott, Real Estate Loans & Insurance, 21 West Milwaukee St., Janesville, Wis., both phones.

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It takes a red-nosed man with a greasy seat and a soiled collar and a cheap cigar, and with his feet on another chair, to put the proper emphasis in the words, "These women reformers—make me wary."—W. D. Nesbit, in Chicago Post.

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The livestock exhibit at Chicago and the contest which has been in progress the past few days has turned out the greatest exhibit of Livestock in all the history of the world. In fact so complete is the representation at the Chicago show that Kaiser William has sent over for the competition some of the best stock in the royal stables and from the royal German farms!

Here are shown some of the most famous notable specimens which are securing the first awards.

The ram shown in the layout is said to be the most perfect specimen of his kind ever raised. He is a Schorling ram and has taken first awards in Toronto, London and Paris. He is owned by the Ontario Stock Farm company and is one of the

most valuable animals of his kind living.

The bull with the halter on his head and the curly hair at the neck Frantz & Sons of Bluffton, Ohio. This fellow's name is "Rambler" of the Corn Belt."

The other bull of the Red Pollard breed is another splendid specimen of this type of breedstock and has taken first prizes throughout the year everywhere exhibited. He is owned by James by Scotch breed, owned by James by Frank Hartline of Strasburg, Ohio.

The horse unquestionably is the finest individual of his class ever brought to America. He belongs to Kaiser William's exhibit and is called "Mimmo." In his native home he is considered the most perfect coach horse ever bred. He has created a veritable sensation in livestock circles. This is the horse with the rosettes of flowers at the ears.

The other horse is the famous Porcher stallion Minet, who has taken repeated blue ribbons at every showing of the year.

These specimens are the most valuable exhibits of livestock in existence.

Life Made Up of Habits.

Life is but a tissue of habits. Each good habit we weave in our teens means a better and happier life to its very end—and we cannot afford to waste an hour in setting the loom at work.—Amiel.

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OFFICER OF CITY TREASURER,
JANESEVILLE, WIS. DEC. 17, 1907.
To Whom It May Concern:
The tax rolls and warrant for the collection
of the state and county taxes for the year 1907
are now in my hands for collection and all
persons interested are requested to make payment
in full at their respective places of business
in the city of Janesville, or the same will be
collected at the cost and expense to the persons
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A nice little cloth-bound
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Rebekah, the wife of Isaac, for did
she not "put the signs of the kids of
the goats upon the hands of Jacob" to
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H. C. 1750.—N. Y. Press.

Profit of the Bank of England.
In the 40 years between 1792 and
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to £1,000,000 odd, every shilling
of which was clear profit to the bank.

Buy it in Janesville.

FOOTBALL TEAM IS
GIVEN A BANQUET

Evanston Football Team is Entertained by Professors Friday Evening.

Evanston, Dec. 16.—The banquet tendered the E. H. S. football team by Prof. A. H. Sholtz and Prof. O. C. Gray last Friday evening proved a very pleasant affair and will long be remembered by the participants. Prof. Sholtz gave a speech and in his usually bright and witty manner presented each member with an "E," also presenting Mr. Gray in behalf of the team with a handsome gold watch fob in appreciation of the excellent work he had done as their coach this season. Mr. Gray, though considerably surprised, responded in a few well-chosen remarks. Bert Holmes was elected captain of next year's football team and made a fitting speech acknowledging the honor.

The marriage of Mrs. Alice Little and Mr. Stitt, both of Evansville, was solemnized Sunday afternoon, Dec. 15, at one o'clock at the Dubuque flats, Chicago, the Rev. H. M. Peterson, a Methodist minister of that city, officiating. Mrs. H. Schleim of this city attended the bride as matron of honor, the groom being served by Charles Hart of Chicago, brother of the bride. After their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Stitt will return and make their home for the present. Their many Evansville friends extend congratulations.

Prof. Arthur Richardson's orchestra has reorganized for season's work and will meet for rehearsal every Thursday evening with Miss Harris. The organization is composed of the following members with the instruments each play: A. Richardson, violin; Aynd Park and J. Brunell, clarinet; Burr W. Tolles, cornet; Chester Morgan, trombone; Miss Cora Harris, piano, and Chas. Gray, drums.

Henry Acker has sold his residence on Garfield avenue to Warren Roidt.

E. P. Colton has been absent from his duties at the depot for a week on account of illness.

Miss Lizzie Gillies recently moved into her new residence on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Peck and George Peck of Brodhead are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Helen Winston of Janesville, who has been here for the past three weeks superintending repairs on her property, will return to her home to-day.

Miss Aya Bullard is expected home next Friday from her school work at Stevens Point to spend the holidays.

Mrs. H. Schleim spent Saturday with her brother, who is at present stationed at Fort Sheridan.

Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Webb will give a recitation in honor of the faculty and students of the seminary Thursday evening of this week.

Mrs. William Wadsworth will leave tomorrow for a week's visit to relatives in Beloit, Rockford and Chicago.

The next meeting of the Afternoon club will be held Saturday, Dec. 21, at 2:30 p.m. and the program will be as follows: Customs and Legends of the Rhine—Mrs. Minnie Smith; The Black Forest and Nuremberg—Mrs. Maud Loyd; Holiday Customs in Germany—Miss Anna Novak; Friends Hot and Cold and Their Grains—Mrs. Sylvia Colony; Current Events.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stitt are guests of Brodhead relatives this week.

Frank Wilder of the U. W. spent Saturday and Sunday at the parental home.

S. C. Brown returned Saturday evening from a few days' visit to a brother in Cottage Grove.

The Good Times club will be entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. George Spencer Thursday. A six o'clock dinner will be served, after which a large Christmas tree laden with appropriate gifts will furnish amusement for the evening.

James Moran of Chicago transacted business in Evansville Friday and Saturday.

Miss Addie Blakely of Fairchild is expected Friday for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. J. Fisher.

**MILTON PROFESSOR
ACCEPTS PASTORATE**

Professor Edwin Shaw Resigns from Place in Milton College Faculty and Goes to Plainfield.

Milton, Dec. 17.—Prof. Edwin Shaw has resigned his professorship in the faculty of Milton college and accepted a call to the pastorate of the Seventh-day Baptist church at Plainfield, N. J. His resignation does not take effect until the close of the present school year. The friends of the college and our citizens generally will learn with regret that Prof. Shaw has decided to leave the village and when the time for his departure comes, fortunately not for some months hence, will unite in bidding him success in his new field of labor.

The Milton postoffice will be closed on Christmas day from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. Rural carriers will make their usual delivery of mail on that day.

Elmer Hanson of Barron is visiting friends in the village.

P. G. Gordon went to Detroit Sunday night on a business trip. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Colvin spent Sunday in Janesville.

Very good sleighing here just now, May I continue.

David L. Gray and Mrs. Etta Clawson-Gray of Milwaukee were united in marriage Sunday afternoon by Justice F. W. Turpyle at his residence. C. E. Crandall returned from Plattsburgh, Friday.

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Miss Rose L. Fritz, who enjoys the honor of being the world's champion for speed and accuracy on the writing machine, is acquiring wide notoriety as a result of her talents. Miss Fritz has remarkably adept on the typewriter, both as regards speed and accuracy. She has beaten every record that has ever been set in the world and illness put an open challenge to operators everywhere to meet her any time in a contest of skill. In Madison Square garden during the recent National Business show Miss Fritz attained the record of 87 words per minute accurately written and as a result Miss Fritz was presented with the world's champion trophy, an enormous silver cup three feet high which cost about \$1,000. In all of the writing machine contests that Miss Fritz has entered she has had a regular trainer for her work and has devoted herself exclusively to perfection in the art. In which she claims supremacy. She gives out as the one great reason for her success as a champion stenographer that she takes absolute care of herself and gives total concentration of mind to her work while she is at it. When her task is over she takes up something entirely different to get her mind off her work except during the time she is actually engaged.

Miss Fritz is preparing to go to London where she will meet operators on their own ground and contest for honors. She will be seen in the west during the week of February 1 to 8, when she will appear in exhibitions of her skill at the National Business show, which will be held at the Chicago Coliseum during those dates. At this particular time and place there will also be many other interesting features for office women.

For example there will be a race between a dozen pretty girls engaged in using calculating machines. The contest is intended to produce the champion mechanical accountant of the country. Women have so completely displaced men in the accounting line within the past few years that such a contest as the one in prospect is demanded that women far in advance of men in this particular department of office work.

Certainly Miss Fritz has never had any nervous competition from the sterner sex for world's honors in speed and accuracy.

**GYM CLASSES WERE
QUICKLY POSTPONED**

Two Much Christmas Work Causes Beloit Young Women to Delay Athletic Work.

[EXCERPT FROM THE GAZETTE.]

Beloit, Wis., Dec. 17.—Because Christmas shopping and household duties interfered with regular attendance and punctuality the women's gymnasium class of the Beloit Young Men's Christian association has been abandoned.

Alexander E. Matheson of Janesville presided as toastmaster at the annual banquet of the Sigma Chi fraternity of Beloit college which was held in connection with the fall installation, Grand Council Charles Alling, the highest officer in the society, was present as well as a delegation from the Wisconsin chapter and representatives from Chicago, Northwestern and Dartmouth universities.

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NO. 6—43 acres, 4 miles from county seat, all fenced; 10 acres in cultivation; house 4 rooms, good barn, and other good buildings. Well in yard, spring on farm; nice family orchard. Land good and in good condition. Price, \$1,000.

NO. 7—80 acres, 8 miles west of county seat, all fenced; 60 acres in cultivation, new 6-room frame house, good barn and well. Price, \$1,600.

NO. 15—120 acres, 250 in cultivation, 8-room house, barn 40x60, all kinds of good outbuildings, good tenant house, 2½ miles from R. R. station, 7 miles from county seat, good water; a great bargain at \$1,100.

NO. 10—130 acres, 7-room dwelling, tenant house 3 rooms, now barn 36x40, 300 acres in cultivation, plenty of good water, 2½ miles from R. R. station, 6 miles from county seat. This is a splendid stock and dairy farm. Price, \$13,000.

140 acres, all fenced, 35 in cultivation, 2 room house, good new barn, plenty of water; on main road one and one-half miles from county seat. Price, \$1,000.

NO. 20—324 acres, all fenced, 200 cultivated, two big barns, good 8 room house, well in yard, fine spring, on main road, 8 miles from county seat. Phone and R. R. D. close to school and church. Price, \$10,000.

NO. 23—100 acres, all fenced and in cultivation, 6 room house, good barn, 8-acre orchard, on main road, 6 miles from county seat, R. R. D. and phone. Price, \$3,500.

No. 25—80 acres, all fenced, 65 acres cultivated, 50 in clover and timothy, 800 ten-year old apple trees, other small fruits, 5 room house, barn 20x30, outbuildings, good water, well fenced and one-half mile to Conway, Minn. Price, \$3,000.

NO. 70—82 acres, all fenced, 55 acres in cultivation, 8 room house, fair barn, outbuildings, etc.; good water, on main road, R. R. D. and phone line, 1 mile from county seat. Price, \$2,500.

NO. 71—80 acres, 7 miles east of county seat, 35 acres fenced and 20 in cultivation, small orchard, small house and barn, and other outbuildings, good water. Price, \$1,000.

NO. 75—120 acres all fenced, and 80 acres in cultivation, good improvements, good water, good fruits of all kinds, 1 mile from county seat on main road, R. R. D. and phone line. Price, \$4,500.

NO. 86—120 acres, 120 fenced, 100 in cultivation, 110 acres good timber, all bay, well, fine timber, 3 room house, summer kitchen, chicken house, barn etc. Lumber on ground for a frame barn, watered by springs, 3 miles north of Duncan and 12 miles from county seat. Price, \$3,000.

NO. 98—120 acres, all in cultivation

and meadow except 10 acres timber for house use. Fenced into 6 fields; 8-room house, barn 30x50; 10-ft. posts with stone basement; good smoke house and granary; plenty of good water; 8 acres orchard, bearing; country road by house, school and church close by; 3 miles to R. R. station. Price, \$2,500.

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The application of Wilhelmus Oettemann for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of John Oettemann, late of the town of La Prairie, Rock county, deceased.

Dated December 3rd, 1907.

By the Court,

J. W. SAWYER,
County Judge.

Stanley D. Talmor,
Attorney for Petitioner.

Tuesday, Dec. 3rd.

No Wonder He Groaned.

Mrs. Fabbins has written to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to know if something can be done to prevent horses from being scratched. She is sure it must be very painful, because her husband, a racing man, is sometimes quite upset and she hears him groan in his sleep about a horse being scratched.

Military Pope.

Pope Julius II, who died in 1513, was the first pope to allow his beard to grow in order, it was said, to inspire greater respect among the faithful. He was called the military pope. When Michael Angelo was making his statue he said to him: "Holy Father, shall I place a book in your hand?" "No," answered his holiness, "a sword rather—I know better how to handle it."

"It was mighty quick, but mighty foolish. I knew he'd say that foolishness about being pleased to see her home. Well, she came out and I clutched her. And while I was marching on like a conquering hero, informing her that it was a nice evening, I could hear Bill on the off side, giggling out that stuff 'bout pleasure and seeing her home.' Naney says, says she: 'Sank you, Mr. Elsenkrout, I'm suited,' and I laughed like hell! And, begoshen, Naney laughed too! And that settled Bill for ever more! Oh, it's nosing like a laugh at the right time to kill a man off! Bill left town the next day. He had too, And he didn't show up till the next fall! See, you got a sure slug. And, begoshen, you might just as well finish Sam up in the same job—put him out of town. Next Sunday you watch Sam. Keep right opposite him. Then sit your men in action about a second sooner. Left side, you know, her right! Sally'll be on the lookout. Don't stop to say any fool slugs about the pleasure of seeing her home. Do it. And, when Sam gets his work in, laugh like a bull. And sit. Sally to

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VIII.
The White Signal Which Might as Well Have Been Black.

Like a campaign speech was the effect of this!

Sally objected no longer. He said he would do it all! Perhaps this, too, got about. At all events, before the next Sunday, the interest created by their rivalry was more than equal to the voice of the Gospel. All the township would be at church!

Sam would not be dislodged. He invented the most diabolical schemes for sequestering Sally to himself during the week which followed—into which gullible Sally often fell—and which seemed to proclaim her suitor to be himself. Sam, you remember, had access to Sally, but Sally had not. Sally confessed that this looked sinister. True, he remembered all that had passed between them. But once before he had been in error.

So that Sally, before the week's end, began once more—and more strongly—to deprecate the necessity for this public demonstration of his status. His father demanded it as a diplomatic necessity, inasmuch as Sally still retained Sam on a basis so much like his own as to make the situation extremely embarrassing to even Old Baumgartner, who had let it be known that he was the active conductor of his son. To vanquish Sally was to vanquish him, and he, if not Sally himself, screwed Sally's courage to the stretching point. After this, Sally wavered no more, but proclaimed his purpose. It was generally conceded that the one who failed now would have to leave town.

So here was retiring little Sally forced by circumstances into a public rivalry which he detested, and, it may as well be confessed—feared. It must, also, be explained that Sally's course in maintaining these two strings to her bow until the breaking moment was not only universally commanded, but was the unswerving custom of the vicinage for girls so fortunate as to have two strings. It was held likely to force one or the other to the point—and this was the purpose of rustic coquetry! And Sally's coquetry was not only acknowledged; it was tolerated, and, I fear, encouraged. And, alas, it had been as sweet to her as vicious dissipation to men. But now it had made not only her own, but Sally's position, tremendously more difficult.

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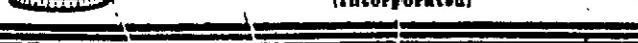
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**SUBURBAN NEWS****LA PRAIRIE**

La Prairie, Dec. 16.—Several friends of Frank Cuddeback helped him celebrate his birthday Friday evening. A very enjoyable time was spent by all present.

The dance at the Grange hall Friday evening was well attended. The next one will be given Thursday evening, Jan. 9, 1908.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunn, Dec. 6, a boy.

Miss Clara Schwartz of Janesville visited Misses Rhoda and Ruth Sherman from Friday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Chouteau entertained Messrs. and Madames Thornton Road, U. E. Gleason, Eugene Culver and Harry Finch Sunday.

LIMA

Lima, Dec. 16.—The fair on Wednesday evening was a decided success. The proceeds amounted to over \$100, of which \$55 is clear. The hall was tastefully decorated in red and white and everything went as though by clockwork. All of the articles placed on sale were not disposed of and may be seen at Holbrook's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Collins were called to Shepler's Thursday to attend Miss Cora Doxstader's funeral, who being a cousin of Mrs. Collins.

"Lige" Barker has an auction today. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Junction were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Collins.

Among those from out of town who attended the fair were Nedra Lee, Newkirk and several others from Milton; Mrs. Geo. Cowles, Mrs. Nora McGowan, Fred Kutz and family and Miss Elizabeth Vance of Whitewater. Orra Gould spent Saturday in Milwaukee.

Melvinous Sturtevant, Ros, Hobbs and Harrington were Bower City visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. Ezra Brown fell recently and as a result is laid up with a broken hip.

The Schoellkopf girls were given a surprise one evening last week.

EMERALD GROVE

Emerald Grove, Dec. 16.—At the last meeting of the Emerald Camp, M. W. A., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Venable Connel, Chas. Yoeman, Advisor; D. E. Jones; Banker, J. T. Barnes; Clerk, A. D. Barnes; Escort, Harry Jones; Watchman, Chas. Playter; Sentry, Chas. D. Fitch; Manager, Bert Van Gilder. The Woodmen will give a box social at the social rooms on Thursday evening of this week. Ladies are asked to bring boxes containing supper for two. A prize will be given for the prettiest box and also for the box which sells for the highest price. A short entertainment has been prepared and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Miss Johnson of McFarland is the mother of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Crooks.

A baby boy was welcomed last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barnes.

W. A. Dean and family of Janesville have moved to their farm at the Grove.

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